DEATH LIST GROWS

Official Figures of Known Earthquake Dead Now 20,789

EXTRA SIX FRENCH TOWNS CAPTURED BY GERMANS

THE WEATHER.
Today, unsettled and somewhat colder. Saturday fair, moderate variable winds.
Sun rises 7:11, sets 4:37.
Moon new tonight.
High tide 10:45 a. m., 11:30 p. m.

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10 PM IT'S ALL HERE IT'S ALL NEW

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THOUSANDS BURIED IN RUINS

SORA, Italy, Jan. 10.—Soldiers are clearing away the ruins of Santa Restituta Church, which was thronged when the most severe earthquake shock occurred. Among the first bodies recovered were those of Father Annoni and seven nuns, to whom the priest was giving communion when the disaster occurred. The priest still held the chalice in his hands when his body was found.

CHAUFFEUR IS QUESTIONED IN RYAN LOVE SUIT

Timothy F. Mahoney, chauffeur for Harry K. Mansfield, proprietor of the Fenway Inn, was the first witness today at the trial before Judge Pessenden and a jury in the Suffolk Superior Court of the suit for $50,000 for alleged breach of promise against Mansfield by Miss Elizabeth M. Ryan.

When court opened Mahoney, who lives in Peabody, was called to the stand. He is the first defence witness. He was questioned by Attorney Michael Sullivan, counsel for Mansfield.

Q.—Did you go to Peabody last night? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did you see any counsel between four yesterday afternoon and 10 this morning? A.—I saw you and Mr. Ronan.

Q.—Have you any counsel? A.—No.

Q.—Do you tell this jury you haven't talked to any counsel since you left here yesterday afternoon? A.—I talked to Mr. Ronan (Sullivan's assistant counsel in the case).

Q.—Anybody outside of Ronan?

Mr. Coakley—Has he any counsel?

Witness—Give me a chance, and I'll ——

Q.—Have you talked with any other lawyer other than Mr. Ronan? A.—Not that I remember.

Q.—Is your memory good? A.—Yes.

Q.—Have you talked with any persons in the corridors about this case? A.—Some of Mr. Mansfield's witnesses tried to talk to me about the case, and I did not talk with them.

Q.—Are any persons in the courtroom to whom you talked about the case? A. (Looking around)—Only you and Mr. Ronan.

Q.—Is there anybody in the courtroom who tried to talk with you about the case? A.—Only Mr. Ronan. He tried to talk to me, but he didn't get anything out of me. He gave me $2.50 and a summons.

The courtroom was crowded and the corridors were filled with the overflow throng.

Miss Ryan sat in the chairs set apart for the witnesses.

LODGE BARES WEAKNESS OF U. S. DEFENCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—"Our means of self-defence are either woefully inadequate or wholly lacking," declared Senator Lodge of Massachusetts in a speech in the Senate today, urging the addition of 25,000 men to the army and the strengthening of the navy. He would build scout cruisers, torpedo boats and battleships.

The Senator quoted figures to show the regular army "is not much more than twice the size of the police force of the city of New York" and said:

"Surely it is not necessary to do more than repeat these figures to show the utter inadequacy of our regular army.

"The reserves which we have of soldiers who have served in the army and who are liable to be called back to the colors amount to sixteen men. In other words we have no reserves with which rapidly to enlarge the army if we were attacked. We are also short of officers and the instruction of the organized militia suffers woefully from the lack of officers available for that service.

"Yet we are doing nothing toward increasing our supply of officers, although we have the best military academy in the world ready to give instructions to any number of officers that we may need."

The most naval deficiency just now is in scout cruisers. We have only three scout cruisers. I believe to protect and give warning to the approach of a hostile fleet for 6,000 miles of coast on the Atlantic and Pacific."

The lack of aeroplanes and airmen in the army also is "deplorable," the Senator said.

13 Unemployed in New York Parade

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The army of unemployed began its march from Brooklyn to the City Hall today, but instead of thousands who were expected to fall in line there were just thirteen men and four banners. The Brooklyn army had expected another big army from Manhattan to meet them on this side of the bridge, but nary an "unemployed" joined the men from the other side of the bridge.

French Honors for Russian Generals

PARIS, Jan. 15.—France has conferred the military medal upon Grand Duke Nicholas and General Janouchkitch, respectively commander-in-chief and chief-of-staff of the Russian armies, and also upon Major-General Dalilow, General Ruski and General Ivanoff have been nominated grand officers of the Legion of Honor.

Battleship Kansas Is Damaged by Gale

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The bridge, gear rails and docking of the United States battleship Kansas were swept away during a storm off Cape Hatteras on Tuesday night Captain Henry F. Bryan, her commander, commander reported to the Navy Department today. The Kansas left Hampton roads today for the Philadelphia navy yard where she will be repaired. It will take fifteen days to get the ship into commission again.

Big War Order for the Slater Mills

WEBSTER, Jan. 15.—The Slater mills here, owned by Mrs. Horatio N. Slater of Boston and her children, has orders for more than 200,000 yards of khaki cloth for the allies. This is Webster's second big war order, the first coming for shoes from the B. A. Corbin & Son factory. The shoe order amounted to $800,000 and was also from the allies.

Best for Colds—Father John's Medicine builds new strength and flesh.

EAST BOSTON GIRL IS DEAD FROM GAS

Miss Mary Keen, twenty-four years old, stenographer in the office of Mayor Benjamin P. Palmer of Medford, in the Kimball Building on Tremont street, died of gas poisoning in the East Boston Relief Hospital today after physicians had worked on her for one and one-quarter hours with a pulmotor. Sergeant Daniel Sweeney, who investigated the case for Captain John Brickley of the East Boston police, reported that he believed the gas poisoning accidental.

Miss Keen lived at No. 8 White street, East Boston, with her sister and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar F. Keen.

She was found unconscious on her bed at 8 a. m. by her sister and mother, who broke into her room.

Last night Mrs. Keen went to a whist party. When she returned late in the evening she noticed the gaslight was showing from Mary's room. Thinking the girl was reading in bed, a habit of hers, the mother did not disturb her.

Mr. Keen rose early today and started to work before the other members of the family were up. A few minutes before 8 o'clock Mary's sister, in an adjoining room, was dressing when she smelled gas. She called her mother. The two traced the gas to Mary's door. Finding the door locked the mother and sister smashed in a panel, turned the key from the inside and entered.

They found the window shut and gas flowing from an open wall jet. Mary was unconscious on her bed, with a book and an open magazine by her side, as though she had fallen asleep while reading and had then been overcome by gas.

She was brought into the East Boston Relief Station at 8:15 and was pronounced dead at 9:30 by Dr. Lawrence J. Lewis. Medical Examiner Magrath was notified.

Rent Collections Lead to Romance

BROCKTON, Jan. 15.—A romance which began by a landlord collecting his rent from one of his tenants ended in marriage, and was made known today for the first time by the contracting parties, Richard T. Sollis, sixty-six-up erintendent of the Marston Building in this city, was married to Miss Emma Leslie, thirty, who conducts a tea room in the same building. Sollis after calling upon Miss Leslie for the rent regularly every month was won by her business methods. They were married quietly by the Rev. Frederick E. Heath of Cambridge at his home, December 29.

French Airman Takes German Aeroplane

BOULOGNE, Jan. 15.—News comes that a German aeroplane was seen early today over Amiens, followed by a French aviator who managed to bring the German flyer to earth. The officers in the German machine were killed and the aeroplane captured intact.

ROME, Jan. 15.—The toll of dead claimed by the earthquake in central Italy steadily increased today as troops penetrated the stricken district and sought to free thousands still buried alive in the ruins of their homes.

Up to 8 a. m. today Premier Salandra had received reports officially listing as dead 11,129 men, women and children in sixteen towns. Shortly before 10 o'clock he received an official dispatch stating that rescue forces from Sulmona and Tivoli had penetrated to Capelle, Pescina and San Benedetto and found the three towns in ruins. The total loss of life in these towns was 8,300, increasing to 19,349 the number known to be dead.

At San Benedetto more than 100 persons buried alive were rescued.

"After careful investigation," said the dispatch received by the Premier, "the original reports of the destruction of Capelle, Pescina and San Benedetto have been confirmed.

"The casualties at Capelle were 1,300 out of 1,500 inhabitants. Pescina was almost razed to the ground, the dead being estimated at 4,000. San Benedetto was totally destroyed, with 3,000 casualties. At San Benedetto more than 100 persons were rescued after being entombed for many hours. They had suffered intensely, and some were so badly injured that they will die."

DEAD MAY REACH 50,000.

With about one-third of the towns in the earthquake zone heard from, Premier Salandra fears that the dead alone will be more than 50,000. This is the highest estimate that has been made at any time. If it is borne out by the subsequent reports, the number of injured may go above 125,000.

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DEATH FIGURES IN STRICKEN TOWNS

Avezzano	10,400
Pescina	4,000
Maglianor	1,300
Capello	1,300
San Benedetto	3,000
Sora	500
Sulmona	50
Torre Cajetani	50
Capistrello	50
Togliacozzo	40
Arpino	30
Villalago	20
Buss	16
Isola del Liri	10
Cococcuio	9
Antrosano	7
Pescenesa	6
Sassa	5
Mone Rorontundo	3
Popoli	2
Roma	1

PARKER IS FINED UNDER OWN LAW

CLINTON, Jan. 15.—State Forestry Commissioner Harold Parker was convicted in the local court today of violating a forestry law of which he was himself the "father."

And he admitted it to Judge Smith and his attitude was that of a man who wanted to be punished.

The law is one that prohibits setting a fire by burn rubbish and so on without a permit from a State forest warden. On November 12 last, without asking the permission of Warden Arthur Blood of this district, Commissioner Parker put a lighted match to a pile of deadwood on his Lancaster estate.

"Well, we can't punish others unless we have the boss himself in for breaking the law," the forestry authorities said, so Blood swore out a complaint.

"I have no intention of excusing myself," said the commissioner to Judge Smith. "The law was enacted through my own efforts and it must be obeyed.

"It was a perfectly still day and when I started out cleaning up the dead limbs in my own orchard, I had no intention of setting the fire. But I did and we turned up the ground afterwards as a precaution to prevent its spreading. But am not excusing myself. I want the law enforced."

"I impose a fine of $15," said the court.

The commissioner, who was formerly chairman of the State Highway Commission and is a brother of former Attorney General Herbert Parker, paid the fine with a check.

RICH MAN MISSING; FEAR A TRAGEDY

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Jan. 15.—Wilton T. Bray, well-to-do resident of Kittery Point, just across the Maine line, is missing and his family fears he has been slain.

The police of this city have been asked by the Kittery Point authorities to aid in search for him.

Mr. Bray is thirty-five years old and of quiet, domestic habits. He started Sunday afternoon for a walk and has not been seen since by relatives or friends. In the absence of any reasonable explanation for his continued absence, his family believes he has been attacked and possibly killed.

Mr. Bray conducted a general store at Kittery Point up to ten years ago, when he sold the business. Since then he has not been in business, beyond caring for his property.

Ate Turkey Sent Here by Stallings

John Bonner, thirty-three, Bucking Street, Dorchester, was arrested by Patrolman Feeney of the Court square station charged with stealing a turkey, valued at $5, the property of McCarthy Brothers, proprietors of the Quincy House.

The turkey was one sent by George Stallings from his plantation to the dinner given by the Winter League held last night at the hotel. The turkey, all cooked, was missed. A searching party was organized. Down cellar they found Feeney comfortably seated in a chair enjoying the bird.

He was immediately arrested.

NEW EARTHQUAKES SHAKE THE ALPS

TURIN, Italy, Jan. 15.—Severe earthquake shocks have been felt in the Alps for twenty-four hours. Several avalanches have resulted and three mountain villages between Valsavaranche and Cogne, south of Aosta, are reported to have been swept away with all their inhabitants, numbering more than 250. All the valleys of Northern Italy are filled with snow.

$8,000 Fire Loss in Haverhill Factory

HAVERHILL, Jan. 15.—Fire today did $8,000 damage to stock in the shoe factory of Witherell & Dubbins on the sixth floor of the eight story fireproof building owned by Burgess Long of Allston. The building itself, constructed of cement and steel, was unharmed. The fire started from an unknown cause in the last room of the shoe factory and destroyed $5,000 worth of lasts. Captain George N. Whiting of Hose No. 1 was knocked unconscious when he slipped from a bench, striking his head on the cement floor.

Mrs. Oldfield Loops the Loop

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Barney Oldfield, wife of the automobile racer, is receiving congratulations today for her feat in twice looping the loop with de Lloyd Thompson 1,500 feet in the air. "It was grand," she said. "I could loop the loop all day. Automobiling seems too stupid now."

GERMANS TAKE 6 TOWNS NEAR SOISSONS; BRITISH MAKE GAIN OF HALF-MILE IN FLANDERS

SUMMARY OF TODAY'S WAR NEWS.

BERLIN—Six French towns along the Aisne captured by the Germans. The towns are Cuffies, Crouy, Bucy-le-Long, Missy, Vauxvot and Vallerie. French suffered heavy losses in retreat that abandoned these towns to the Germans.

PARIS—Germans maintaining their terrific attacks upon French northeast of Soissons. Germans succeeded in capturing St. Paul, but French have retaken place. French troops gained successes near Lombartzyde and Becelaere and captured German positions on Arras-Lille highway. On the Meuse the French gained important success, destroying pontoon bridges established by Germans at St. Mihiel.

PETROGRAD—Admitted that Turkish troops by wide flanking movement are seriously menacing Russians in Persia. Germans made gains near Bolimow. Russians maintaining offensive in Mlawa district.

VIENNA—Terrific battle in progress in Southern Bukowina, east of Borgo Pass. Austrians resume offensive. Russian advance guards driven back.

CONSTANTINOPLE—Turks captured two towns from Russians in Persia. Turkish troops rapidly advancing toward Suez Canal.

GERMANS HAVE ADVANTAGE AS FIFTH STAGE OF WAR BEGINS

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The fifth stage of the conflict in the western theatre of war is now well under way and the advantage apparently lies with the Germans. This is admitted even by the British military experts, who acknowledged today that the gains made by the Germans about Soissons were the most important that had been realized by either side in many weeks.

The various stages that have marked the campaign in the past and the one now under way are:

1.—The German advance upon Paris.

2.—The defeat of the Germans at the Marne and their retreat to the Aisne.

3.—The battles of the Aisne and of Flanders, in which the allies repulsed the Germans' attack.

4.—Taking up of the offensive by the allies in Flanders, along the Aisne and in Alsace, resulting in small gains by the attacking forces before they were checked.

5.—Resumption of the German offensive under the leadership of Emperor William and the German general staff at Soissons.

The temporary success of the Germans cannot be maintained, the military critics of London declare. They point out that the British forces now on the continent are being constantly augmented and that these fresh

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Automobiles Don't Care Who Drive Them

And anybody can own a car nowadays. If you are not strong enough financially to capture a new 1915 model, remember that there are thousands of slightly used cars to be had, that will render faithful, economical service.

Gasoline will likely be the greatest cost of maintaining one of these used engines having the advantage of thorough adjustment.

Every day, and particularly in the big Sunday American, runabouts, roadsters and touring cars that will meet your most exacting requirements are advertised in the Want Ad section. And you can buy them way below original cost.

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THE Second Instalment OF THE Confessions OF A Harvard Man WILL APPEAR In Tomorrow's American

GENERAL MILES GIVES STARTLING Forecast of the Effects of the War.

HUDSON MAXIM DECLARES United States Must Fight Whoever Wins.

CONG. GARDNER EXPOSES Weakness of Militia in Men and Arms.

THREE GREAT FEATURES IN SUNDAY'S BOSTON AMERICAN

MANY NEW EARTH TREMORS TERRORIZE SURVIVORS IN DISASTER ZONE

American Ambassador Sends Agents to Stricken Region; Pope Plans Aid.

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Unofficial estimates of the damage run as high as $100,000,000. In some places, particularly Rome, where serious loss was caused to famous buildings, the damage can never be repaired. It is being further increased by tremors more or less severe that have been felt ever since the main earthquake shock. Nearly 200 of such tremors have been recorded in the last forty-eight hours.

HOSPITALS FILLED.

All the hospitals of Rome are filled with injured men, women and children brought here from points which the rescue trains have succeeded in reaching. There are already 3,000 of these sufferers here and private homes and public buildings have been thrown open for their care.

Thirty thousand Italian soldiers are conducting the rescue work in the stricken district. All yesterday afternoon and last night they dug for the dead and living in the ruins in Avezzano and Sora, where the loss of life was heaviest. Their work last night was facilitated as far as possible by searchlights that had been sent from Rome on one of the trains carrying nurses, physicians and medical supplies.

King Victor Emmanuel went to Sora from Avezzano early today and took charge of the work in the ruins in the former beautiful town of 20,000 inhabitants. The King wept when he saw the desolation wrought there. Later he returned to this city and expressed his belief that the casualties might be much less than the official reports received by Premier Salandra would indicate.

POPE LEAVES VATICAN.

Pope Benedict, accompanied by the papal Secretary of State, Cardinal Gasparri, Cardinal Merry Del Val and other Vatican dignitaries, visited the hospital at Santa Marta, near the Vatican, yesterday afternoon, to see those injured in the earthquake. The Pontiff conversed with them, asking for details of the disaster, and distributed gifts.

A special edition of the Concordia declares that the Pope went by an interior passage leading from the Vatican to Santa Marta across the basilica of St. Peter's, the doors of which were carefully closed. It is the first time that a Pope has left the Vatican since 1870.

There was a heavy fall of snow in central Italy last night. This increased the sufferings of tens of thousands of homeless. Hundreds have been stricken with pneumonia and it is feared that the deaths caused directly by the earthquake will be greatly increased by disease.

Refugees from the district of Avezzano say that no more than 10 per cent. of the population escaped. They are unanimous in declaring that the disaster was greater than that which overwhelmed Messina seven years ago.

"The destruction of Avezzano was only a matter of seconds," one refugee said. "In less than a minute it was changed from a beautiful, peaceful, prosperous city into a vast cemetery, where piles of wrecked houses and up-torn earth rose in a monument to the wrath and power of nature. Over the wreckage wandered hundreds of stupified survivors, searching for their dead or for entombed relatives who, they hoped, might still be living."

SURVIVORS AID WOUNDED.

Deputy Sipari, who was one of the first public officials to visit the scene of the earthquake in person, afterwards said:

"One feature of the disaster from which a crumb of comfort can be derived was the complete absence of ghoulish acts. Although the safes of three rich banks were lying unguarded in the streets of Avezzano for hours, while the town was completely isolated, not a single robbery was reported. Another pleasing feature was the vigor with which survivors started the work of rescue without waiting for outside help."

King Victor Emmanuel, who arrived at Avezzano yesterday afternoon, spent hours in inspecting the ruins and comforting the survivors, some of whom were extricated in his presence. The King climbed over the wreckage to form an exact opinion of the magnitude of the disaster. Afterwards he sent a telegram to Rome asking for more soldiers to carry on the relief work.

Hundreds of men, women and children were buried alive and the work of rescue was pushed to the utmost to try to save them.

In some quarters of Avezzano muffled shouts could be heard coming from the interior of wreckage, showing them to be living tombs for men, women, and children who had been overwhelmed in the debris, but not killed outright.

The King, while walking with his aide past a pile of debris, heard a sound resembling a human voice. Soldiers were put to work at once and soon the torn body of a young man was brought out. Although on the point of collapse, when he saw his majesty the young man raised his hand to his head in a salute and cried: "Hurrah!"

The King was so overcome at this act of devotion that he wept and turning to his military aide said:

"Isn't it heart-breaking that such brave fellows should have to die."

SORA IS HEAVY SUFFERER.

The correspondent of the Tribuna at Sora who escaped with their own lives to confess the dying. The Bishop of Janelli, in several instances, joined with the soldiers and worked with [illegible] to help dig out entombed men and women."

The population of the villages in the quake zone are still terror stricken and refuse to return to their homes, in such cases where homes still exist.

GRAVES OPENED BY SHOCK

A refugee from Sora, who was brought here among the wounded, told the following story:

"Even the cemetery was affected. The convulsions of the ground had the effect of not only throwing monuments and tombstones to earth, but also of casting coffins to the surface. In many instances where time had decayed the casket's shell the grewsome contents were exposed to view. According to information given to me 450 dead had been taken from the ruins at Sora up to the time I left."

The Rev. Father Alfani, director of the Florence Observatory, predicted a number of subsequent earth shocks, all of which, he said, would probably be very light.

"In spite of the seriousness of the situation in central Italy it is understood that the government will decline any outside aid, owing to the present international situation. The earthquake has undoubtedly had a deep effect upon the political situation so far as it involves the possibility of Italy's joining the war.

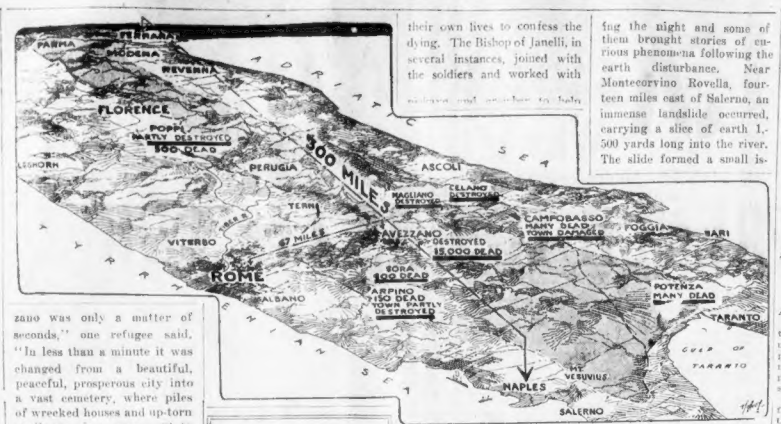
Many refugees from all parts of central Italy, many of them living outside the quake zone, arrived here during the night and some of them brought stories of curious phenomena following the earth disturbance. Near Montecorvino Rovella, fourteen miles east of Salerno, an immense landslide occurred, carrying a slice of earth 1,500 yards long into the river. The slide formed a small island in the middle of the stream.

At Fuigni, a well-known spa near Rome, the rivers ran black for two hours as though the water had been colored with sepia. Scientists are much interested in this phenomenon. The following tables of losses was compiled from late dispatches received from various points in the quake area:

Avezzano 10,400, Sora 500, Sulmona 50, Torre Cajetani 50, Capello 1,300, Toglioezzo 40, Arpino 30, Villalago 20, Isola del Liri 10, Cocconilo 9, Antrosano 7, Buss 16, Pescensea 6, Pescina 4,000, San Benedetto 3,000, Sassa 5, Mone Rorontundo 3, Popoli 2, Rome 1.

Cities from which no details had been received up to the time this dispatch was written follows:

Ajello, Aquila, Atri, Balresano, Bisigna, Capadocia, Caserta Cittaducale, Callarmele, Cerchio Celano, Capistrello, Castronovine, Cautstro, Civitelladantino, Sasllellafiunle, Carzoli, Frosinone, Gerchio, Giosamarsi, Lilli, Monte, Cassano, Magliano, Marse, Massadalbo, Ortonamarsi, Ortucchio, Ovnedoli, Pagliano, Paterno, Pagliotta, Poggio-Filippe, Peravluceo, Rocca Cerro, Supiace, San Felino, Sourcola, Sorbo, Santi Marie, San Stefano, Teramo, Trasacco and Zagarola.



Descriptive map of Italy, the shaded parts showing the localities which were affected by the earthquake, and also the casualties suffered by the various towns.

How Earthquakes Are Rated

Scientists classified the Italian earthquake as ranging from the sixth to the tenth degree of intensity. The Rossi-Forel scale, the standard of seismologists, gives the degrees as follows:

1—Shocks so weak as to be detected by practiced observers only.
2—Shocks registered by seismographs generally. Recognized by persons who are in a condition of rest.
3—Shaking noticed by populace generally. Strong enough to allow duration and directions of shocks to be estimated.
4—Shaking noticed by persons in a state of activity. Shaking of movable objects. Cracking sounds in houses.
5—Quaking generally noticed by entire population. Large objects, like beds and other pieces of furniture, set in motion.
6—General awakening of sleepers and general ringing of door bells. Swinging of Chandeliers, stopping of clocks, visible swaying of trees and bushes.
7—Overturning of movable objects, falling of plaster, ringing of church bells. General terror, but no damage to structures.
8—Throwing down of chimneys; appearance of cracks in walls of buildings.
9—Partial or complete destruction of certain buildings.
10—A great catastrophe. Ruined buildings; overturning of earth layers; appearance of clefts in the earth; landslips.

his life, has sent the following telegram to his paper:

"Practically the whole surviving populace is camping around the ruins of the railway station. The town is a heap of ruins with only a few walls standing, and these threaten to fall any minute. In a single palace, seven prominent families were crushed. The ruins of a carpenter shop form the grave for twenty workmen. During the day of yesterday 200 dead and 400 wounded were extricated from the debris.

"The authorities fear that 800 more are under the debris. The soldiers are dynamiting the crumbling walls. Nuns can be seen on all sides amid the wreckage and ruins, ministering to the wounded.

"Beneath tottering walls and in the midst of smoking wreckage, priests can be seen risking

King Breaks Down on Witnessing Heroism and Devotion of the Victims.

AMERICAN RED CROSS IS READY TO FORWARD FUNDS TO SUFFERERS

The American Red Cross has issued a statement in part as follows:

"The number rendered homeless by the Messina earthquake in 1908 was upwards of 50,000 and the American public responded in relief by raising, through the American Red Cross, approximately one million dollars to assist those stricken people.

"Now there is another opportunity for the charitable people of the United States, whose population includes many hundreds of thousands of Italians, to help in providing relief for those rendered homeless and destitute by this latest catastrophe.

"The American Red Cross will be glad to forward funds to the Italian Red Cross."

Believes Body Is That of Husband

Mrs. Mary B. Mason of No. 44 Burrum street, Lynn, believes the body of a man who called himself Frank Mason is that of her husband, John J. Mason. She will view the body at the City Hospital Morgue. She has not seen her husband since he escaped from the Danvers Insane Hospital in June.

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Solves the problem of sure and easy saving for the man on a salary. $1 or $2 deposited every week for 50 weeks brings a Christmas check with interest.

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Smartest Men's Shop in Boston
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WE know that the men in this vicinity will appreciate our effort to give them the smartest and cleverest things in haberdashery at popular prices. Get acquainted with Posner Values in the finest Shirts, Neckwear, etc.
Two Stores
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WASHINGTON & HANOVER ST.
WHEN HARD TIMES DRIVE
WE RESCUE
A SALE WITH
Prices To Meet Conditions

MEN'S SUITS
Here we have 300 men's all-wool winter suits, well made and worth ten dollars..... $5.00

BOYS' SUITS
One hundred four-dollar boys, ages eight to eighteen. To close..... $2.00

MEN'S SUITS
In this line are many suits formerly sold at fifteen dollars.. $7.50

BOYS' SUITS
Two hundred boys' five-dollar Norfolk suits; blue, gray and brown mixtures..... $3.00

MEN'S SUITS
Our strong point. These suits are all wool, well tailored and comprise about fifty different patterns. Bargains at twenty dollars.... $9.75

BOYS' SUITS
One hundred and sixteen all-wool Norfolk suits, ages eight to eighteen; worth six-fifty to eight dollars..... $4.50

MEN'S OVERCOATS
Long belted, all-wool coats. A ten-dollar trade anywhere; we have two hundred and six of them to offer at..... $5.00

BOYS' OVERCOATS
Ninety-eight coats left, mostly large sizes, twelve to eighteen years. Worth from seven to ten dollars. To close..... $3.00

MEN'S OVERCOATS
Nobby and latest styles. Bargains at fifteen dollars.... $7.50

Small Size Coats
Trade of a lifetime. Fifty-six small sized coats, five dollar values..... $1.00

MEN'S OVERCOATS
Here we have three hundred and eleven coats, what is left of our eighteen, twenty and twenty-five-dollar line.... $9.75

MEN'S PANTS
500 Pairs $2.00 Pants NOW... $1.00
700 Pairs $3.50 Pants NOW... $2.00
300 Pairs $5.00 Pants NOW... $3.00

FURNISHING GOODS
Mackinaws—All colors of the rainbow..... $4.50
Underwear—All kinds..... 39¢ to $1.98
Men's Hose—All sizes and colors, pair..... 5¢

SHIRTS—GLOVES—SWEATERS
$1.15 Shirts..... 79¢ | $1.50 Gloves..... 89¢
$2.00 Shirts..... $1.15 | $2.00 Sweaters..... 98¢
$4.00 Sweaters.... $2.85

F. GRAY CO.
WASHINGTON & HANOVER STS.

Street Scene in Cherchio, One of the Destroyed Towns.

KING OF ITALY HELPS DIRECT WORK OF RESCUING INJURED

ROME, Jan. 15.—King Victor Emmanuel, for the second time within a few years, is personally directing the work of rescuing scores of his stricken people, who are stunned among scenes of desolation

As at Messina, so at Avezzano he is directing the search for bodies, the dispatching of the wounded to Rome and the rescue of persons entombed alive in the crumbled buildings.

QUEEN STAYS IN ROME.

King Victor Emmanuel and the Duke and Duchess of Aosta also made a tour of the stricken towns and villages about Avezzano. At the time of the earthquake the King was busy in his study at his suburban villa. He went to reassure Queen Helena and the royal children, who were greatly alarmed by the disturbance.

Queen Helena expressed deep sorrow at the fact that she is unable, owing to the recent birth of a princess, to go in person to the relief of the victims.

The Duchess of Aosta went to Montecrotuni, where she has installed herself as a hospital nurse for the wounded.

While the King was making his rounds of the ruins, he reached a spot where workmen were endeavoring to extricate a child buried in the debris.

The King mounted a pile of fallen masonry and superintended the rescue. At that time 200 bodies and 160 injured persons had been taken out of the ruins.

Among the victims of the disaster are the sub-prefect and his family, all the members of the sub-prefecture, all the members of the government and municipal services, ninety-five carbineers and Signor Cerri, a former member of the Chamber of Deputies.

KING DEEPLY TOUCHED.

The King left Rome in a motor car for Avezzano, accompanied by General Brusati, one of his aides.

Before leaving the city the King was reminded of the international situation, it being thought that this might keep him in Rome. To this suggestion the King replied:

"The sufferings of my people are nearer my heart than anything else."

The persons most seriously wounded are being attended in Avezzano. The others are sent to Rome.

NEEDLES AT NAPLES OBSERVATORY BROKEN BY GIGANTIC SHOCK

ROME, Jan. 15.—According to Director Friedlander of the International Volcanological Institute at Naples, the origin of the earthquake is geological and not volcanic.

The registration of the earthquake at the observatory broke the needles of the instruments.

St. Peter's is much more damaged than was at first supposed. Many large panes of glass, forty-six of which are in the dome, were broken. The quake also caused a number of deep cracks in the masonary of the stairway leading to the huge ball on the top of the dome. Several mosaics inside the basilica also have been damaged, as was the statue of the Redeemer standing on top of the facade.

OUCH! BACKACHE! RUB LUMBAGO OR STIFFNESS AWAY

Rub pain from back with small trial bottle of old, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil."

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right on your aching back, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica, backache or rheumatism so promptly. It never disappoints. For sale by Riker-Jaynes and all good druggists—Advertisement.

SAVING FOR CHRISTMAS?

Is Not Important, Do Yourself Justice Save from $1 to $25 Each Month in

Volunteer Co-Operative Bank

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INTEREST PAID FOR PAST 5 YEARS 5 1/2%

An Open Letter

(About Bronchitis.)

August 2, 1914.

TO THE PUBLIC:

In March, 1914, I became afflicted with an attack of Bronchitis which forced me to remain in bed for two months. The doctor in attendance changed the medicine several times, and instead of improvement, I seemed to grow worse. For awhile I was despondent, until my wife read a little pamphlet advertising the "Essence Mentho-Laxene." Discouraged with what I had been using without effect, I was willing to try almost anything that sounded like a cure. The Mentho-Laxene was bought, the syrup prepared according to direction, and before half the quantity was consumed the cough had abated and I was able to get up and get around the house. To make a long story short, I was at work four days after, and have never felt any symptoms of the dread disease since. All who are acquainted with Bronchitis will understand how hard it is to subdue the cough, but today I am willing to take an oath, or make an affidavit to the effect, that my case of Bronchitis was as severe as ever afflicted man, and that I was positively cured of it in less than four days, all due to the wonderful curative powers of the "Essence Mentho-Laxene," since that I have recommended it to all sufferers as I was, or to those who were subject to colds of any kind. In each case the medicine sustained the reputation I had given it, and all were loud in their praises of this truly valuable prescription.

All who may be skeptical in its use can write me, and I will cheerfully give them all the information they desire above my personal signature.

Very respectfully,
A. CAMPBELL,
2447 Lafayette St., Denver, Colo.

For the benefit of readers: Essence Mentho-Laxene can be obtained of druggists. A 2½ oz. bottle makes a full pint of cold and cough syrup. Full directions are with each bottle.—Advertisement.

GILCHRIST'S

REORGANIZATION CELEBRATION

Why Is Everybody Talking About Gilchrist's?

The biggest accomplishment in retailing is giving excellent values. We are proving every day that real bargains are to be had in this store. Follow the crowd tomorrow and you will soon learn what we are doing and why everybody is talking about us.

Men's Furnishings

Men's $1.00 Underwear—Medium weight shirts and drawers, the famous "Janiway Brand" 69c

Men's 79c Underwear—Medium weight ribbed shirts and drawers, ecru colors 59c

25c Lisle Hose—In black and colors, at 15c

$1.50 Crepe de Chine 40 Inches Wide

Bright dressy finish, heavy all silk quality, in a good line of light and dark shades, also black and white 79c

$1.00 Messaline—36 inches wide, firm dress quality, all silk, in a beautiful showing of new spring shades and black 59c

85c Foulards—34 inches wide, spot-proof, all silk quality, in neat figures and dots, popular colors 49c

$2.50 Crepe Meteor and Charmeuse—40 inches wide, all silk, soft draping texture, in a full line of colors and black $1.59

Velvets

$1.00 Costume Corduroys—32 inches wide, wide cord, in brown, navy, marine and black 49c

$2.00 Imported Corduroys—32 in. wide, in navy, castor, garnet, marine and black 95c

$4.00 Black Chiffon Velvet—38 in. wide $2.69

Linings

79c Satins—36 in. wide, in tans, grays and browns, strong wearing quality 49c

Women's and Misses' Fashionable

Suits and Coats 1/3 to 1/2 Off Regular Prices

$20 Fur Collar Coats

Fine fabric coats of high lustre Arabian lamb and Arabian ray, lined throughout with guaranteed linings, fasten with handsome silk frogs. Also many silk finished caracul, double faced chinchilla and boucle coats, all effectively made—all sizes up to 42. Special for Friday and Saturday, at $9.75

$25 Broadcloth Suits

Suits of fine gabardines and poplins, smart models with medium and long coats, beautifully trimmed with silk velvet, plush and hand made ornaments. The skirts are yoke and tunic styles, all colors and sizes $15

Neckwear

50c Fancy Fichus—Fine blonde net and organdie lace trimmed fichus 35c

25c Vestee Sets—Of tucked organdie, new goods and up-to-the-minute in style 19c

$3.98 Knitted Silk Scarfs—A variety of combinations of colors, double fold, and all pure silk, 40 inches long $2.25

Dress Goods

59c Serge and Diagonal

56 inches wide, extra heavy clear weave, in navy, brown, green, Belgian garnet and black 29c

$1.00 Wool, Taffeta and Storm Serges—59 inches wide, in dark navy, dark brown, dark green and black, very dependable quality 39c

85c to $1.00 Suiting and French Serges—42 to 50 inches wide, absolutely all wool, in all wanted colors and black 59c

$1.50 Silk and Wool Poplin—42 to 44 inches wide, beautiful glossy finish, in street and evening shades 98c

$1.50 to $2.50 Coatings—56 in. wide, all wool, extra heavy, in plaids, gray mixtures, plaid backs and herringbone effects 68c

$1.25 Black Broadcloth—54 inches wide, all pure wool, close nap, medium weight, permanent finish 79c

$1.00 Black Pronella—41 inches wide, English make, pure wool, sponged and shrunk, lustina finish 69c

Sturdy Dependable Shoes

Boys' $2.50 Heavy School Shoes

Gun metal calf bluchers with heavy welted soles, very serviceable, sizes 1 to 5½. $1.85

Girls' $3.00 High Top Storm Boots

Tan calf storm and skating boots, brown willow calf blucher with wide toe and heavy soles of sterling quality; sizes 8½ to 11½, 1 and 2, at $1.89

Children's $2.00 High Top Button Boots—Tan and black leathers, spring heel, sizes up to 11, at $1.59

Men's $4.00 and $4.50 Winter Boots

Double sole calf bluchers and kidskin, with brown leather linings and vicolized soles, in wanted sizes $3.45

Two Hundred and Fifty Men's Winter Overcoats

Former Price $15.00, Now

$8.75

A little out-clearing of showcases in the Men's New Coat Section, on the street floor. Each is a new and up-to-the minute model; long, short or medium length, including the popular Balmacaan. The materials are all wool, and come in desirable shades and patterns. Sizes for practically all men.

Boys' $5.00 and $6.00 All Wool Norfolk Suits $3.95

Some with two pairs of knickerbockers; full lined, in the new Norfolk models, of gray, brown, tan and blue mixtures. Sizes 6 to 18 years.

Boys' $5.00 Overcoats Now ..... $2.75 | Boys' $7.00 Overcoats Now $3.48

Boys' $10.00 Overcoats Now $5.00

Girls' $5 to $8.98 Winter Coats

$3.95

Including chinchilla, elysian and corduroy, cape style and double-breasted, in a stout of fancy velvet collar and fancy buttons, sizes 6 to 14 years.

Girls' $1.50 Dresses

Plaid gingham and combination plaid and plain colors, tunic skirts, with wide belts of same material, sizes 6 to 14 years 79c

Girls' $2.00 Dresses

Plaids gingham and galatea, new circular skirts and tunic style, with white collars and wide belts, sizes 6 to 14 years $1.59

$1.00 $2.98 $3.98 $1.98

$1.50 Dainty Voile Waists $1.00

Trimmed with panels of organdy and Venise lace, organdy collar edged with German val., also all-over embroidery voile insets in the new putty color, made with high military collar, hemstitched shoulder $1.00

$3.00 Lingerie Waists—Of batiste, voile and organdy, trimmed with fine laces and embroidery, some of all-over embroidered organdy with fine lace panels $1.98

$3.50 Crepe de Chine Waists—Heavy quality, with small box pleats down front, flat collar and revers, in white, flesh, maize and shrimp $2.98

$5.00 and $7.50 Fancy Waists $3.98

Made of lace, crepe de chine and chiffon, in dressy and tailored models, all the most wanted colors.

Beautiful Furs

1/3 Less Than Regular Prices

$10 Coney Sets

Handsome coney sets, large pillow muffs and fancy neckpiece, set complete $6.98

$20.00 Dyed Raccoon Muffs—Handsome Sable full furred pillow muffs $14.98

$12.50 Belgian Hare Muffs—Finest Belgian hare muffs, several different styles, both plain and trimmed $9.98

$10.00 Belgian Hare Scarfs $6.98

To match muffs

$25.00 Black Fox Muffs—Large pillow muffs, very soft silky skins, at $14.98

$25.00 Black Fox Scarfs—To match muffs $14.98

$18.50 Natural Raccoon Muffs $11.50

Large pillow muffs, very full furred skins.

$18.50 Natural Raccoon Scarfs $11.50

To match muffs

Snappy Up-to-date Millinery

Beautiful Bengaline and satin hats in all the new effects, stylish turbans, trimmed with flowers and fruit wreaths. Colors are black, white and the new early spring shades. Every hat worth $7.50, at $5.00

$2.50 Satin and Bengaline Hats—$3.00 Large Black Velvet Hats—Beautiful imported styles, tall ..... Several different styles; these are black, sand, ... quality lyons silk ..... fine and bottle green ..... $1.95 velvet $2.00

$2.00 Ostrich Feather Wreaths $1.49

Fine quality ostrich—all new spring colors, with effective trimming, at .....

Men's 75c & $1.00 Sample "Onyx" Hose

Full Fashioned Silk Hose, in black and wanted colors 45c

Men's 35c and 50c Sample "Onyx" Hose, in silk cashmere and wool, at 25c

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MAIL AND PHONE ORDERS CAREFULLY FILLED

Women's 75c and $1.00 Sample "ONYX" HOSIERY

Included are plain lisle, silk lisle and pure thread silk, all full fashioned and extra special heel and toe 45c

Women's 35c and 50c Sample "Onyx" Hosiery, plain lisle, silk lisle, silk and maco cotton, extra spliced heel and toe; sizes 8½ to 9½ 25c

Saloons on the Decline.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Saloon business in New York State is on the decline, State Commissioner of Excise William M. Farley declared in his report submitted to the Legislature. Since the passage of the Raines law 1,018 saloons have quit business.

THEY WON'T LAST LONG

Judging from the way New England women are hastening to take advantage of the American's splendid Embroidery Pattern Offer, Better get YOURS now if you want one.

SEE TODAY'S MAGAZINE PAGE

HINT REVENGE IN WAKEFIELD CRIME

The Wakefield police are inclined to believe the murder of Maurice Albertson, a Lawrence jeweler, may have been inspired by some secret blackmailing society. The way the victim was tortured has given rise to much discussion in detective circles.

It is suspected that Albertson's assailants may have been inspired with a desire for revenge, as well as robbery. Some of the detectives who have worked on the case say it is strange if robbery was the only motive for luring Albertson to his doom, that his murderers did not kill him at once and not bury him alive.

LOOK UP RECORD.

It is understood that the Wakefield police sought information in Italy as to the records of Biagio Falasca and Ignazio Morello, now in East Cambridge Jail under an indictment for first degree murder.

American consuls have been asked for what information they can obtain from Italian police.

The latter keep a close watch upon all criminals and suspects in their country. If either of the accused men had a bad record at home it will be discovered.

Some detectives who have worked on the case tried for a time a theory which would pulverize that Albertson was killed by members of either the Mafia or Camorra societies.

A mysterious feature of the case is that, although the most diligent search has been made for the $2,000 worth of jewelry taken from Albertson when he was murdered, not an ordinary piece has been disposed.

WHERE IS JEWELRY.

The police say this shows the murderers have not been in need of ready money since the crime.

They are supposed to have obtained $100 in cash when they tortured the jeweler and robbed the safe.

But there is no certainty as to this. As regards the missing jewelry it is considered that it may have been handed to some secret society agent for safe keeping, and that it possibly was sent out of this country weeks ago.

Police Captain Brown Is Dead at Melrose

Police Captain Harry Brown of Melrose died suddenly today of heart disease. He was on duty yesterday. He was stricken today at his home on Winthrop street. He is survived by a wife and two sons. He was fifty-one years old and had been a Melrose policeman for twenty-two years. Funeral services will be held at his home at 2 o'clock on Sunday.

Bank Officers to Have Dinner Jan. 27

The annual dinner of the Bank Officers' Association will be held January 27 at Hotel Somerset. Among the guests will be Edward Elliott, Lieutenant-Governor Grafton D. Cushing, William E. Foss, executive officer of Bowery Savings Bank, New York; Rear Admiral William A. Marshall and Judge Milton P. Gilbert, counsel for Federal Reserve Board, Washington, D. C.

Fire in North Station Baggage

A slight fire in the outward baggage room at the North Station today caused considerable excitement and for a few moments held up outgoing baggage. The fire was extinguished by some of the night handlers before the fire department arrived. The damage was about $25. The fire was caused by an overheated stove.

The Wages of "Acid-Mouth"

Dear is the price you pay for neglecting to overcome "Acid-Mouth." (Statistics prove that 95% of us have it.)

Tiny cavities appear, because unseen (but very busy) mouth acids work upon your teeth, finally breaking down the outside, protecting enamel.

Pebeco
Tooth Paste

has the invaluable property of stopping "Acid-Mouth." Acids in the mouth are unnatural and do a world of damage. *Stop them!*

Pebeco strikes twice with us, because instead of being a destructive with a promise, it's the dentist with a punch. Pebeco does things. Besides keeping the ivory teeth bright and polished, it saves them from decay. Try it for Pebeco.

The undisguised taste of Pebeco is vastly superior to a sweet flavor. Pebeco costs a bit more. Comes in *extra-large* tube. Use one-third of a brushful, protecting

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CARDINAL HEAD OF CHILDREN'S HOME

At the annual meeting of the directors of the Home for Destitute Catholic Children these officers were elected: Honorary President, Cardinal O'Connell; president, James W. Dunphy; vice-president, John P. Manning; treasurer, John A. Bruen; secretary, William J. Porter; executive committee, Joseph A. Cummings, Timothy Good and Michael J. Sughrue.

Reports submitted showed the home had received during the past year $26,317, and had expended $26,277; that the whole number cared for since the foundation of the home was 22,642; that at the beginning of 1914 there were 372 children in the home; that 225 were received during the year from the courts under the neglect law, and 1,269 were otherwise received; that 247 were placed in temporary homes; 241 were returned to their parents, and 1,269 were left 247 in the Home now entirely dependent upon charity.

Superintendent Pyne reported that there were no contagious diseases at the home in 1914, due in great measure to the care and attention given the children by the sisters.

A vote of thanks was extended by the directors to the public for its generosity, to Dr. Thomas J. Scanlan and Timothy J. Shanahan for their gratuitous services and to the Ladies' Aid Society of the Home.

30 Governors to Aid the Belgian Relief

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The commission for relief in Belgium announced today that Governors of thirty States have pledged their aid to efforts being made for the war sufferers in Belgium. The commission has made arrangements for thirty-one cargo to carry the relief supplies and announced that donations will be accepted through the 60,000 postmasters and 43,000 express offices in the United States. Among the Governors who early responded to appeals for help for the Belgians were the executives of Kentucky, Oregon, Kansas, Illinois, New Hampshire, Montana, California, Mississippi, Wyoming, Oklahoma, Maryland, Wisconsin, Iowa, Florida, Indiana, Nebraska and Washington.

Six Months for Robbing Poor Box

George Melardo, who robbed the poor box in St. John's Catholic Church on Blue Hill avenue of 20 cents on Saturday last, was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction by Judge Haydon in the Roxbury District Court today.

HARRISON'S

662-672 Washington St., Cor. Beach St.

MARK DOWN SALE

OF OUR WHOLESALE STOCK

SUITS and OVERCOATS

TO THE MEN OF NEW ENGLAND:

We urge that you see these wonderful Suit and Overcoat values before purchasing elsewhere. They are up to the hour and not clothing bought for sale purposes.

Harko Brand Clothes are controlled and sold in N. E. by the Harrison Co. and are made from strictly all-wool fabrics and tailored by hand. Our iron-clad guarantee of one year's service or another suit or overcoat without cost should appeal to all men. No charge for alterations, of any kind and money instantly refunded on all unsatisfactory purchases during this great sale.

OVERCOATS

$15.00 Kerseys, Cheviots and Scotches, Ulsters & Balmacaans $7.75

$18.00 Chinchillas, Scotches, Tweeds, Heather Mixtures . . . $8.50

$20.00 Blue & Gray Chinchillas, Chesterfields and Ulsters . $9.75

$22.00 Fancy Scotches, Tweeds, Chinchillas, Rough Cheviots $11.00

$25.00 Chesterfields, Ulsters, Balmacaans and Great Coats $12.50

$30.00 Imported Chinchillas, Silk Yokes, Fancy Backs $14.50

SENSATIONAL FUR LINED OVERCOAT SALE

$60.00 to $90.00 Prime Muskrat Lined Overcoats. Persian Lamb Collar. Fine Shell $29.00

$35.00 Fleced Raccoon Overcoats $14.50

$25.00 Black Dog Auto Coats $10.00

MEN'S SUITS

$15.00 Fancy Cassimeres, Blue Serges and Worsteds $7.75

$18.00 Pencil Stripe Worsteds, Tweeds and Blue Serges $8.50

$20.00 Tartan Plaids, Checks, Stripes and Fancy Worsteds . . . $9.75

$22.00 Silk Mixed Cassimeres, Plain, Blue & Brown Worsteds $11.00

$25.00 Blue Serge, Silk Lined, Imported Worsteds & Scotches $12.50

OUR GREAT

PANTS SALE

Ten Thousand Pairs

Greatest Values Ever Known

$4.00 & $4.50 Pants

Blue Serges, Worsteds, Cassimeres, Plain Blacks, CHOICE, $1.98

ALL SIZES UP TO 50 WAIST

Prices Slashed!

Everything Sacrificed! Cents do the work of dollars in this great

JANUARY MARK-DOWN SALE

SUITS

That Were $8.50 . . . . . $5.00

SUITS--OVERCOATS

Were $10.00 . . . . $7.50
Were $15.00 . . . . $9.50
Were $18.00 . . . . $12.50
$20.00 Now $14.50
$25.00 Now $16.50
$28.00 and $30.00 Now $18.50

BOYS' SUITS--OVERCOATS

Were $2.50, Now . . 1.95
Were $3.95, Now . . 2.95
Were $6.50, Now . . 4.50
50c Bell Blouses 38c

ALL FURNISHINGS and HATS MARKED DOWN

TALBOT'S

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BUY HERE AND SAVE MONEY — 7TH MONTHLY BUYERS' SALE HITS — ECONOMY

SATURDAY
Last Day of Sale

To the Shopper Who Wants the Most for Her Money, We Say:

"Come to this sale." Its money-saving possibilities are unsurpassed. Profits have been completely cast aside that a record day may result. Brand new merchandise never before priced so ridiculously low. Take note!

Regular $3.00
Tub Silk Waists
$1.59

Attractive collection of new striped silk waists in a choice assortment of colors; all sizes.

$3.00 Waists Now $1.79

Extra fine quality crepe de chine, in white, flesh and maize; big variety of styles.

Reg. $3.50 Waists, $1.98

Smart, serviceable styles in fine quality mesaaline, unusually attractive; black, navy and colors.

Reg. $1.00 Waists, 49c

Fashioned from lawn, voile and organdy, daintily embroidered designs; in the lot are beautiful crepe waists.

Third Floor, Rear

Corset Bargains

Her Majesty $2.00 Corsets 79c

Medium bust, long hip, draw tape in bust, a new model, marked unusually low.

$1.00 P. N. Corsets, 49c

Made of coutil in long hip and backs, cork front, steel protector.

Regular 50c Brassieres, 29c

Hook front model, hamburg yoke, back and front, sizes 32 to 50.

Third Floor, Near Elevator

Regular 79c Nainsook Gowns, 50c

Trimmed with dainty laces, embroideries and ribbon. Here is a money-saving item for economical women.

50c Drawers Now 29c

Cambric or nainsook, in either flat or ruffle style, trimmed with embroidery or laces, open or closed; all sizes.

Regular 79c Combinations 50c

Nainsook, either lace or embroidery trimmed, skirt or drawer style, with embroidery beading at waistline; all sizes.

Regular $2.00 Petticoats $1.59

Silk messaline and taffeta, accordion pleated flounce or tailored style, with or without underdrop.

Third Floor, Front of Elevator

Neckwear Bargain

25c and 39c Values 15c

Tucked organdie vestees, P. K. and organdie sets, net guimpes and fancy ribbon trimmed collars.

Main Floor, Front

Art Needle Work

Reg. 50c to 75c Pillow Tops & Backs 27c

This big offering consists of burlap pillow tops with backs and hand embroidered tops with backs; choice assortment.

75c Stamped Envelope Day Cases, each 59c

50c Stamped Hemstitched Pillow Cases, pair 39c

Third Floor—Rear

Children's Regular 75c Dresses 31c

Colored, percale, galatea and gingham, trimmed with plain colors to match; excellent assortment of styles from which you can select.

Infants' Regular 29c Rompers, 19c

Made of fine quality gingham, in pink and blue checks; sizes 2 to 6 years.

Regular 29c Bonnets, 17c

Made of fine quality white poplin, very nicely embroidered. A noteworthy offering.

Third Floor—Hosworth St. Side

Sensational Bargains in Women's Wear

Regular $12.00 Coats Now 5.98

Just 50 in the Lot. Like Picture

The best value in Boston unusual assortment of mixtures, plaids and silvertones, made with belted and plain model. What woman or miss who wants to buy a new coat cheap could resist the big savings featured here!

Reg. $19.50 Suits $15.00

Women's and misses' sizes, fashioned from high-grade cheviots and serges in all the latest models; long or short coats; fine satin and pleated skirts. Like picture.

Reg. $6.50 Dresses $3.69

Dainty new styles, made of all wool crepe, with lace trimmings; only 50 in the collection, so you will have to hurry if you want to take advantage of this low price.

Reg. $4.50 Skirts $1.19

Smart, perfect fitting skirts, in all wool, plaids, checks, stripes and novelty effects; all sizes from 22 to 30 waist and 39 to 42 length.

Reg. $8.98 Muffs $2.98

Extra fine quality French coney; choice of soft head and tail; half moon and pillow shapes; all to go at one low price.

Reg. $5.00 Raincoats $1.98

Scotch as well as serviceable rubber surface and plaid lined; half belted and plain styles; sizes to suit you.

20-Year Guarantee Gold Watch FREE

With every suit selling for $15.00 to $27.50

Reg. $1.25 House Dresses Now 69c

Boston's Newest and Most Popular Priced Garment Store. Fourth Floor

The Biggest Hat Bargain in Boston

Smart Trimmed Hats

Worth From $5.00 to $7.50 Choice . . . 95c

Right up to the minute shapes of velvet, attractively trimmed with fancies, flowers and ribbons; just the hat for wear between seasons; stylish as well as serviceable.

Reg. 48c Fancies and Stickups, Special 11c

Reg. $1.00 Velvet, in Navy and Black, Yd. . . 49c

"Milliners" Regular 38c Spring Frames Now 19c

Reg. $1.25 Satin Turbans. Extra Special at . . . 83c

Children's 98c Untrimmed Hats. Extra Special 48c

New England's Greatest Millinery Parlors, Second Floor

Sheeting, Spreads, Towels, Etc.

Offerings That Mean Unusual Savings

Regular 10c Bleached Cotton, Yard 6½c

Fine quality goods, 36 inches wide; here, indeed, is a bargain that every thrifty shopper should take advantage of—the savings offered are unusual.

Linen, Damask . . . Pure linen, 72 inches wide, Irish make, full line of patterns; $1.00 value. Special . . . 75c

Sheets—Made of good quality cotton, cleached and finished, with hems. Reg. 50c value. Special . . . 39c

Pillow Cases—Made of fine quality muslin, good weight, with hems. Reg. 12½c value. Special . . . 9½c

Wool Plaid Blankets . . . Size 66x80 inches, full weight, soft, fluffy quality. Reg. $5.00 value. Special . . . 2.87½

Huck Towels—Pure all linen, hemmed, good quality. Reg. 10c value. Special . . . 5c

Red Spreads—Double bed size, fine, soft finish. A remarkable bargain. Regular 89c value. Special . . . 59c

Pillow Casing—Fine, even weave muslin, 42 in. wide, hemmed ready for use. Reg. 17c value. Special . . . 12½c

Imported Linen Damask . . . 64 inches wide, 10 different patterns to choose from. Reg. $1.75 value. Special . . . 1.15

Linen Napkins—Assortment of fine, all linen, hemstitched napkins. Reg. $1.25 value. Special . . . 89c

Dinner Remnants—Best quality, bleached damask, in one to ten yards. Reg. 7c value. Special . . . 5½c

On Sale in Basement

Percales—Big offering of fine, soft quality, light fine of patterns. Reg. 12½c value. Special . . . 9c

Turkish Towels—These are seconds. Fine, 50 doz. in the lot. Regular 25c value. Special at . . . 12½c

Linen Crash . . . Plain bleached, good, serviceable quality. 10c value. Special . . . 7½c

Poplins—Extra fine quality, soft finish, white mercerized. Unusual bargain. Regular 25c value. Special . . . 7c

Apron Gingham . . . Short roll lengths in a full line of checks. Regular 12½c value. Special, yard . . . 5c

70c Regular $1.39 Scrim Curtains 70c

Extra fine quality, made with wide insertions and lace edge, white and ecru. This is a remarkable bargain for the money-saving housewife.

Regular $6.00 Odd Portieres, Each $1.50

Extra heavy, full mercerized, both fringe and edge trimmed in the lot; all colors.

75c Remnants Tapestry 35c

Lengths of 1 to 2 yards; extra fine quality; great bargain at the price.

Regular 19c Scrim Yard 10c

Lace edge; fine quality; 24-inch hemstitched border, with lace trimming; for Dutch or regular curtains.

The Thrifty Housewife's Store—Sixth Floor

LACES and EMBROIDERIES

Regular 50c Swiss Emb. Flouncing 37½c

Fine quality; 27 inches wide, in solid and eyelet designs.

19c Insertions, Etc., 15c

Fine quality hamburg insertions and edges; solid and eyelet patterns.

Reg. 8c & 10c Laces 2½c

Cluny and torchon, in white and ecru; big variety of patterns.

Main Floor, Rear

BIG APRON BARGAINS

Regular 50c Bungalow Aprons 39c

Made of excellent quality percale, cut large size, variety of patterns.

50c Tea Aprons 39c

Dainty, fancy tea aprons, lace and hamburg trimmed, splendid value.

Regular 39c Aprons 19c

Percale; fitted styles, with pocket and string, rickrack braid trimmed.

Main Floor, Rear

Reg. 29c Ribbons Remnants 15c

Fine quality Dresden and moire in widths of four and five inches.

45c Ribbons, Yd. 29c

Black moire, six inches, wide

Main Floor, Rear

FINE LEATHER GOODS

Regular $1.00 Hand Bags, Each 79c

Made of brush leather, with nickel and gilt frames; unusual bargain.

$1.00 Party Cases 50c

Very stylish; made with four fittings; big money-saving offering.

75c Pocket Books 50c

Envelope style, in black and colored leathers; big assortment.

Main Floor, Near Elevators

Men's Furnishings

Regular $3.00 Coat Sweaters, Each . . . 1.50

Made of extra fine quality, Shaker knit; perfect fit, nicely finished; new goods, marked unusually low for this special sale.

Regular $1.00 Shirts 55c

Made of Splendid quality percale, in coat style; guaranteed first quality.

50c and 65c Ties 25c

Nobby new patterns; the biggest neckwear bargain in Boston.

Main Floor, Front

Reg. 79c Hot Water Bottles 33c

Two-quart size; every hot water bottle perfect; assorted colors to pick from.

15c Talcum Powder 5c

98c Fountain Syringes 69c

Main Floor—Rear

WE LEAD—"MANY TRY TO FOLLOW"

All Our Girls' and Boys' Coats and Boys' Suits

Marked Down One Half

Girls' $5.00 COATS $2.39

Sizes 6 to 14

Stylish, serviceable winter garments shown in a big variety of fancy or plain coatings; really friumphs in contrasting colors; a bargain that means unusual saving to thrifty mothers.

Boys' $5.00 Suits $2.50

Norfolk model, all-wool blue serges, homespun, tweeds, worsteds and scotches; patch pockets, pants full peg, lined and taped; sizes 7 to 17 years.

Boys' $3.50 Suits $1.69

Norfolk and Russian models, in a large variety of fine mixtures and blue serges; sizes 3 to 17 years; extraordinary bargain.

Boys' $2.50 Coats $1.25

Chinchillas and fancy Russian coats, full belted and plaid lined, button to neck or shawl collar models; sizes 3 to 9 years.

Girls' $3.00 Dresses $1.49

Smart corduroy, with double skirt; others fashioned with silk girdle in contrasting shade; maroon, navy, brown and green; sizes 6 to 14 years.

With Boys' $4.98 Suits

$1.00 Ingersoll Watches Free

Economy Store—Fifth Floor

Boys' Regular $1.25

Boots 79c

All Sizes, 8 1-2 to 13 1-2

Made extra strong and durable, of calf; all solid leather. Every pair new. The lowest price ever quoted on shoes of such dependable quality.

Boys' $1.75

Boots $1.00

Serviceable boots, made of calf; all solid leather, in sizes 1 to 5½. A big money saving offering.

Girls' $2.00 Boots $1.29

Button style; made of patent leather and calf; sizes 2½ to 6; just right for large girls; a noteworthy offering.

Women's $3.50

Boots $1.79

High grade Goodyear welts taken out of regular stock and reduced in price for a leader.

Basement

Hosiery and Underwear

Women's 35c and 50c Hose, Pair . . 27c

Extra fine quality silk lisle and cotton, full fashioned, our standard grades.

25c and 35c Hose 19c

Silk, silk lisle and cotton hose, desirable weights from our regular stocks; 3 pairs 50c.

Women's Regular $1.00

Union Suits 69c

Fine quality bleached cotton, in medium and light weight, economical shoppers take notice.

Main Floor—Bosworth St. Side

Handkerchief Bargains

Women's Reg. 25c Handkerchiefs, 17c

Pure linen handkerchiefs, with hemstitched embroidered corners; big value.

Men's Handkfs 12½c

Fine quality handkerchiefs, mercerized, fancy colored border; great chance for economical men to save money.

Main Floor—Rear

Women's Regular $2.75

Gloves $1.89

16 button white kid, cut full arms either P. K. or pearl; new goods, marked unusually low for this special sale.

Men's $1.15 Gloves 85c

Fleeced lined, pique sewn cape gloves; a big bargain.

Women's $1.15 Gloves 89c

One-clasp pique lamb, in white, black and tan.

Boys' and Misses' 50c Gloves 39c

Fleeced lined and rough rider gauntlets, star and fringe trimmed.

Main Floor—Front

The Old Butler Corner—90 Tremont St.

MRS. HANSEN AND HYDE ARE FREED

The cases of William J. Hyde of Arlington, a bookkeeper in the employ of the Harvard Co-operative Society, and Mrs. Marie Hansen, a nurse, both accused of having been accessories in the death of Miss Irene Richardson, daughter of Arlington's town auditor, were dismissed by Judge Almy in the Cambridge district court today.

Both defendants were in court. Mrs. Hansen being accompanied by her counsel, John L. G. Glynn, and Hyde by his attorney, J. W. McAnarney. To Chief Inspector Hurley of Cambridge Judge Almy said:

"Mr. Hurley, what is to be done with these cases?"

"Your Honor," said Hurley, "these cases have been presented to the Grand Juries of both Middlesex and Suffolk and they have found no bill. I ask that the cases be dismissed."

The Back Bay physician, indicted by the Suffolk Grand Jury as the principal in Miss Richardson's death, has not been arrested.

Steam Trap Bursts, Workman May Die

James A. Merrett, fifty-two, married, of No. 19 Gray street, South End, is at the City Hospital, not expected to live as a result of being frightfully scalded early today when a steam trap, over which he was working, broke. Merrett was repairing some pipes at the Y. W. C. A. on Berkeley street when the accident occurred.

Ask "Billy" Sunday to Preach in Boston

The Boston Evangelical Alliance has decided to send a committee to Philadelphia to invite "Billy" Sunday, the evangelist, to come to Boston to conduct a series of revivals here. There has been some opposition expressed by pastors to having him come to Boston, but the objections are to be disregarded.

Forty Oxen Haul Huge Maine Safe

SANFORD, Me., Jan. 15.—Visitors flocked to Sanford to see a genuine old-fashioned "hauling bee," when a steel vault weighing sixteen tons was moved from Moulton's siding to the new bank building above Central square by a string of forty oxen under the direction of a "master carter."

GIRLS ARE WARNED NOT TO SWAP GUM

Girls may swap their dollies at cars,
Swap their candy recipes,
Swap their sweethearts, if they please,
But the dentist says that some
Airls' woe is bound to come
If the girls swap chewing gum.

Gladys: If you will chew gum in working hours, for your own sake, please don't leave it around carelessly, even if you have to put it in a check room.

For Gladys' gum if left around on the office scenery without a care, is likely to be "swapped" involuntarily for Ethel's gum and then there is trouble ahead for Ethel and Gladys.

So says Dr. John A. Cecoe. The doctor is medical inspector for the city. He has thrown a lively scare into the gum-chewers by intimating that they may soon be prosecuted.

Dr. Cecoe gives this warning against the "gummy" peril:

"Frequently a girl who chews gum sticks her gum on the underside of her table or desk. By the time several girls, who are using the same table or desk, stick up their gum there is likely to be confusion as to ownership of the different wads of gum. The result is that each girl gets the wrong piece, thus risking her wealth and possibly her beauty."

The doctor adds:

"The evil is almost as great when each girl gets the right piece of gum, for on every piece there is bound to accumulate a great deal of germ-laden dust."

The stern warning uttered by Dr. Cecoe is said to be having effect already.

Some girls, rather than take chances of getting their gum switched, even throw their gum-wad away when they are through chewing, from fatigue or other reason.

This sacrifice requires a terrible quantity of gum in the course of a day, but health and beauty must be preserved at all hazards, say Gladys, Ethel and their sister gum devotees.

'Boom Boston' Has Funds for 1915

The expenses of the Boston Industrial Development Board, organized by Mayor Curley shortly after his inauguration, from a fund of $50,000 collected from business men, have been $9,500 to date. As a result of the small amount expended, there will be no assessments levied upon business men for 1915.

Cats to Be Barred from Naval Station

NEWPORT, R. I., Jan. 15.—Cats are to be banished from the naval training station for sanitary reasons. It is stated that their value as rat catchers is more than offset by their menace as germ carriers among the apprentices.

Nordica Letters are Filed in New York Will Suit

'I Was Horribly Duped and Abused,' One Note Says

Strained Relations Between Singer and Husband Said to Be Shown in Missives.

Husband Tries in Vain to Prevent Letters from Becoming Public.

The late Mrs. George W. Young, the Lillian Nordica of opera fame.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Copies of letters purporting to have been written in 1915 by the late Mme. Lillian Nordica, which it is claimed, show a strained relationship existing at that time between the famous singer and her husband, George W. Young, the banker, are published today by the World.

Unusual efforts were made by Young's attorneys, Colby & Brown, of No. 32 Nassau street, to prevent the filing of the letters, and a restraining order directing that they be not made public was issued by Supreme Court Justice Goff. The order was served too late and is considered only in seeking the lips of the lawyers representing the executors of the singer's estate.

The letters, filed with affidavits, a summons and complaint and a notice of service, are a part of the legal action taken by Robert S. Baldwin, a nephew of Mme. Nordica, to prevent Mr. Young from probating a will made by the singer in 1910.

Baldwin and other executors are fighting to have probated here a later will said to have been drawn by Mme. Nordica on Thursday Island, in the Pacific Ocean, on January 16, 1911. It leaves the bulk of her property, valued at $1,000,000, to her sisters and merely mentions her husband, saying the singer had "advanced him more than $400,000 in cash" and that therefore, he shall receive only "his legal portion" in certain stock his wife held.

BALDWIN'S CONTENTION.

Baldwin introduced these letters in support of his motion against Young's probating Mme. Nordica's first will. It is the contention of Baldwin's lawyers that the letters show a change in the singer's earlier feeling for her husband, and indicate that she had no intention in 1915 of permitting her first will, which left everything to Young without restriction, to remain valid.

The claims that Young owed her money, that she was being brought to the point of selling her jewels and that she intended to draw a new will are included in the letters, and such statements are regarded by Emile Dreyfus, one of Baldwin's lawyers, as of unusual value in fighting the attempt to probate the first will.

With the letters Baldwin filed an affidavit that they are genuine, and that Mme. Nordica in her writings referred to Young in places where no name is given, but where a man is mentioned as treating her, as she considered, unjustly. Several of the letters were written, apparently, when the singer was in a bitter mood, and one when she was not well, but each is offered by Baldwin as partial proof, at least, that Mme. Nordica had ceased to care for her husband. In his affidavit Baldwin says that Mme. Nordica had not lived with Young for twelve months.

Nowhere, however, does Baldwin make the claim that the allegations contained in the letters are based upon fact.

"HORRIBLY ABUSED."

The first of the five letters purporting to have been written from the Conner Hotel, Laramie, Wyo., on June 8 (year not given) is addressed to "My Dear Annie and Billy," which Baldwin asserts refers to Mme. Nordica's sister, Annie Baldwin, and her brother-in-law, William Baldwin, both of No. 39 Columbia road, Dorchester. Partly censored by Baldwin, who marked out names of persons who did not figure in the will contest, the letter reads:

Now I have got a chapter and verse on the gent, as you know, and expect ere long to have more information. I have been away a great deal and I understand how a person might side step but to do things in such a bold and heartless manner, and to be so ugly and neglectful of me, not to say abusive, and my hard-earned money passing for it.

Really, I have to laugh at my old fool self.

My idea is for Billy when he goes to New York to see—(name erased out by Baldwin) and, under promise of secrecy, of course, to tell him everything. The burden of the song to be that if I had money I would sue for divorce right away. Some time ago I hinted to—(name erased out by Baldwin) that I should go away and never come back, and that I wanted to live in London. I want also for him to know that I sold the Nickel shares to save George from being arrested, as he had hypothecated property which did not belong to him and they were after him. At that time I had not found him out, and by was in terrible distress.

You see I am thinking aloud **I think and think, and the more I consider the more I see how unworthy he is, and how horribly I have been duped, betrayed, deceived and abused.**

Your loving sister,

LILLIE.

"SUE BROWNING SONNETS."

In a letter dated from Sydney, New South Wales, on July 7, 1913, the writer, according to Baldwin, wrote:

Dear Everybody—I shall never know back into the ways of life. Always or take up the old life. As for "condoning," who knows. To suspect is one thing, but to be furnished with exact date and detail is another. That I have received by letter in San Francisco.

I had a long table from Dresden saying he is fearful of losing his—(words, etc., illegible)—and so-called sonnets numbers 2, 17, 30, 31, 37, of Elizabeth Browning. I replied (or him to read Sonnet No. 8, and this is where we stand at present. He has written me the most heart-rending letters, but, Annie, I am done.

With love to you, one and all,

LILLIE.

One letter considered as perhaps showing more deeply the writer's feelings, was dated August 31, 1912. It was received by Annie Baldwin and her sister, Baldwin states, in his affidavit. The letter in part follows:

George writes the most intelligent love letters you can imagine. But I cannot come and live with him never shall. He called me yesterday that consent had agreed on Tokay business. Now did not mortgage case making altogether $40,000. I am nothing better than that he prosper and of the same time pay me back even one-half what he owes me.

Ah, well, it is all over, and no fortune he could ever make can restore the sweet confidence and trust I reposed in him. Not anything he failed to provide of a material nature ever in any way distorted or obliterated me.

"PULL ON MY HEART."

It was the consideration, care, truth and all things spiritual he withheld and which he led me by his power to believe. Now all his loving letters all his honeyed words, fall on me as hail and I cannot help it. Something is dead and gone out of my mortal life forever.

Good-by, keep well and happy, and if you ever see George, don't know a thing.

LILLIE.

The day after this letter Mme.

Building Better Babies

Startling results from campaign now being carried on by Boston physicians.

Five thousand puny and sickly little ones being made into sturdy healthy youngsters.

Every parent should know the details of this great work.

See Next Sunday's Boston American

Omega Oil for Cold in Head and Catarrh

Put a teaspoonful of Omega Oil in a cup of boiling water, then inhale the steam which goes through the passages of the nose and throat. This simple treatment usually gives quick relief.

BUTTER 35c lb
FINEST QUALITY CREAMERY

Eggs Doz 37c
Teas Lb 35c
Coffee Lb 24c

Wines, Beverages
Savings of One-Third and Only Finest Qualities. Convenient Stores

Scotch Bot. 87c
Irish, Wm. Jameson's Bot. 97c
Canadian Club Whisky 1.09
Whisky Qt. 73c
Rye Qt. 97c
Rum Qt. 73c
Booth's Old Tom Gin 78c
Wines Bot. 25c
Sherry Duff Gordon Bot. 69c
M. & R. Vermouth Bot. 57c

Free Quick Delivery ★ Price List Free

Ginter Co
163 Summer ★ Cor. Elm & Union
495 Washington St. ★ 16 Canal St.
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The Ginter Co.'s products may also be purchased at The Specialty Shop, Inc.
172 Tremont St.

AFTER CAMBRIDGE PONY EXPRESSMEN

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 15.—Warrants charging common liquor cleaning and a new conspiracy were issued today against fifteen Cambridge men charged with violations of the prohibition laws. A warrant charging conspiracy was also issued against Cambridge men charged with violations of the prohibition laws. Complaints were issued.

Ray Ingalls, a Dunkle, who directed the Malden liquor cocktails and had charge of the campaign against a number of cafes, was arraigned in the Cambridge court this morning and pleaded guilty to a charge of conducting a common nuisance. A warrant charging conspiracy was issued against Ingalls, Edward J. Wyzanski and Peter J. Perkins, all of the Wyzanski Exeter Street Boston Store, and the Cambridge Daniel Cook and Leland with Clerk William A. Parker. As a result cases the complainants. It is charged that liquor has been transported illegally and that liquor has even been sold in the store and when passing through Cambridge streets.

The Middlesex Grand Jury is investigating the liquor conditions here. Among those who called to testify are Rev. Dr. Pringle and Detective Wyland. A grand jury witness today was a young woman bookkeeper for a leading wholesale liquor house.

2,500 Men Resume Work on Full Time

HOUGHTON, Mich., Jan. 15.—The Copper Range Consolidated Mines, which have been operating on half time since the beginning of the European war, resumed full time today. The order affects 2,500 men.

Cats Bring $200 to $500 at Show

At the cat show in mechanics building this week, in connection with the poultry and pigeon show, sales of cats ranged at from $200 to $500 are reported.

WOULD LET U. S. BUY GERMAN SHIPS

LONDON, Jan. 15.—A new phase of the shipping controversy between England and the United States was obtained today by the Liberal newspaper, The Evening Star, which gave its editorial sanction to the purchase of German ships by American trade. In commenting upon the idea of finding a former German ship now interned under the American flag, it says:

"The passing of our ports which is opposed to the proposing to sail for Hamburg or Bremerhaven with cotton for the purpose of getting back in exchange for it, or to wipe out overdrawn. The complaint is, in whichever way it is stated, that we want to prevent German ships selling their ships to ourselves. We cannot prevent the selling of German ships to German industrial undertakings, but we can prevent the selling of German ships to ourselves. What might have to be done, however, is to prevent American citizens from buying ships of belligerent nations, and it is not a fact that many ships are owned to-day by Germans in the United States.

"The United States has goods we want in this country and it is not unreasonable to help the United States get ships to carry goods to us. We are being hustled dry and bled white by our own ship owners. What we want is a reasonable condition with [illegible] and we are being forced up the price of bread."

Dr. Cowles Badly Hurt by a Fall

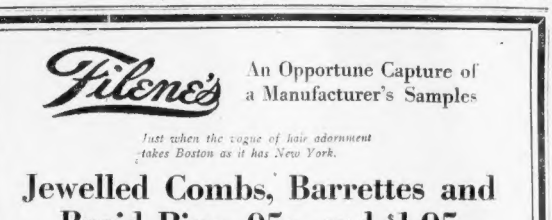
PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Jan. 15.—Dr. Edward J. Cowles, defendant in a divorce suit scheduled for the January term of the Superior Court, which convenes next Tuesday at Exeter, while attempting to board a moving train for Boston was thrown to the platform and rendered unconscious. He was assisted out about the station and, coming to, insisted being boarded the train on.

Filene's

An Opportune Capture of a Manufacturer's Samples

Just when the vogue of hair adornment takes Boston as it has New York.

Jewelled Combs, Barrettes and Braid Pins, 95c, and $1.95



$5 to $10 (*) Combs, Barrettes and Braid Pins, $1.95

$2 to $5 (*) Barrettes, Braid Pins and Combs, 95c

(*) Conservatively quoted. Samples, the best will go fast.

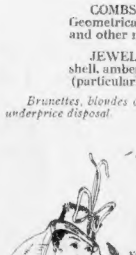
At dinner, at the theatre, this type of hair adornment is a measure of the mode.

COMBS are jeweled with brilliants and colored stones. Geometrical, feather and flower effects. Sans Gene, Spanish and other new shapes.

JEWELED BARRETTES AND BRAID PINS in effects of shell, amber, demi-amber and crystal. Black and white effects (particularly new).

Brunettes, blondes and elderly women with gray hair are all provided for in this quick underprice disposal.

(Street floor—Saturday)



The New Veil Hats $2.95 and $3.50

An unusually large assortment.

Ready to put on, with or without veils.

Sand, fete de negre, white, black, pearl, rose and the new blues.

Little turbans, sailors a-plenty.

(Street floor)

258 Girls' & Misses' Coats Marked Down

(Filene's—Fourth Floor)

MEN Filene's MEN

Just in—New fancy Spats, $1 to $2.50, to cover Filene good shoes at $3.90 to $10.

Mark Down Sale Men's Suits and Overcoats

AND A SPECIAL LOT OF
Tipperary Overcoats
(Trade Mark Registered)
(Plenty of them—and all worth $20 or more)
$14.50

These are the famous loose, snappy overcoats with the velvet collar and the large, square lapels that have taken Boston by storm.

A lot of class and good long wear, warm enough for now, not so "ulstery" that they will look out of place in March.

Skinner satin lined, piped seams, velvet collar.

MEN'S SUITS
$25 grades, from foreign and domestic fabrics.
$18.50
OVERCOATS
Regents, raglans, and balmacaans, $25 grade.

MEN'S SUITS
$30 and $35 suits, Filene standards, fancy or plain blues.
$22.50
OVERCOATS
$30 and $35 overcoats and a few that were originally even more.

MEN'S SUITS
$20 grades, fancy suits and some plain blues.
$14.50

GOLF NO GOLFER IS SO GOOD but that he can stand a little midwinter coaching under John C. Blair, the Commonwealth Country Club's professional now giving instructions and coaching in Filene golf cage.

More Full Dress Suits, $20

(Coat and Trousers)

Another lot of the dress suits which skipped out almost overnight recently.

If you were among those who failed to hasten and hence missed this deal, now's your chance.

Silk facings and trimmings, correct fit and proportions.

Sizes 33 to 48 chest, regular, stout, short and long sizes.

SECOND FLOOR

GERMAN LINES NEAR SOISSONS NOW ONLY 38 MILES FROM PARIS

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forces will be able to withstand the German assaults. According to the best information obtainable here in the 650,000 English troops thoroughly trained, in France and Flanders by the end of January.

British troops have made a brilliant attack upon a strongly entrenched position of the Germans near La Bassee, realizing a gain of more than half a mile, according to a dispatch from Field Marshal French, "behind the battle front in northern France."

After preparing the way with a heavy artillery fire, the Britons charged and captured the enemy's trenches, gaining an important strategic position. The British suffered only a few casualties, but the Germans lost heavily in killed, wounded and prisoners, it is stated.

According to an Amsterdam report, 500,000 German troops have been concentrated on the battle front from Flanders to Belgium to hurl them through the allies' lines. For this purpose all the veteran troops in Belgium have been withdrawn and replaced by Landwehr forces.

Before taking up the offensive along the Aisne, the Germans fortified their coast and interior positions to prevent any flanking drive by the allies. They mined the entrance to the harbor of Zeebrugge and planted landwehrs made of that period of the year between Zeebrugge and the Zwyn.

VALUABLE GROUND LOST.

The ground gained by the French and British as a result of weeks of hard fighting north of the Aisne in France appears to have been lost in considerable measure as a result of the sharp German attack which drove the allies back across the river to the north and east of Soissons.

While the authorities ascribe the reverse partly to the flooded condition of the river and the loss of bridges, the fact that the German advance was made at that point of the great battle line which is nearest Paris, serves to emphasize the importance of the German success.

Probably the flooded condition of the country in this region will make impossible a German drive toward Paris, but it is conceded that the Germans have done much to offset the recent gains made by the allies at other parts of the 300-mile front.

The German lines near Soissons are now only thirty-eight miles from the forts of Paris. Berlin reported officially today that the Germans had taken the six French towns of Cuffies, Crouy, Tuery-la-Long, Missy, Vauxvot and Vallerle, along the Aisne.

The Germans are maintaining their terrific attack upon the French, according to an official statement issued at Paris this afternoon. They succeeded in capturing St. Paul, which lies a little more than a mile southeast of Soissons, but the French succeeded in retaking this place, the statement says.

Successes for the French troops near Lombartzyde and Ramscapelle, Flanders, and the capture of German positions on the Arras-Lille highway are claimed.

On the Meuse the French have destroyed pontoon bridges established by the Germans at St. Mihiel. This is a most important success for the French, as the Germans have held their positions here for many weeks, continually threatening the French wedge into the French army by crossing the Meuse. The complete text of the official communique follows.

"From the sea to the Lys there have been artillery combats, at times becoming very violent. We have made some progress near Lombartzyde and near Beclaere.

"To the north of Arras a brilliant bayonet attack by our zouaves captured the enemy's positions near the road from Arras to Lille.

"In the same region, at LaTargette and at St. Laurent, as well as to the north of Andechy, which is in the region of Roye, our artillery has gained the advantage over that of the enemy.

"His batteries were silenced, two pieces being demolished. An ammunition depot was blown up and earthworks under construction were destroyed.

ST. PAUL RECAPTURED.

"At a distance of two kilometres northeast of Soissons, the Germans attacked St. Paul. They entered that place, but we recaptured it.

"There have also been violent artillery duels in the region of Craonne and of Rheims, in the course of which the enemy's batteries have been frequently silenced.

"In the region of Perthes, in the Argonne and on the heights of the Meuse, there is nothing important to report.

"We have destroyed the pontoon bridges placed by the Germans on the Meuse at St. Mihiel and have repulsed in the Forest of Ailly an attack directed against the trenches taken by us on January 9.

"In the Vosges, to the south of Sennes, we threw the Germans into confusion in a sharp infantry engagement, cut their wire entanglements and overwhelmed their trenches.

"On the rest of the front there is nothing to report."

In Poland, the news of the day is encouraging to the Germans, who are now bombarding the Russian front only twenty-five miles from Warsaw, according to Petrograd dispatches.

In the centre at the junction of the Bzura and Rawka rivers, where fighting has been in progress for more than a month, the Germans have begun a new movement, that is, forcing their activity centres along a line to the east of Sochaczew and Skiernewice.

ADVANCE NEAR BOLIMOW.

It is here that they have made four distinct efforts to advance during the last two days. Following a furious artillery action the Germans occupied the district to the northeast of Bolimow, including the towns of Bin Skupi and Sucha. These positions are three or four miles east of the Bzura, from which positions they were reported officially to have been driven out at the point of the bayonet.

The German gains near Bolimow are attributed to the arrival on the West Poland front of many of the large guns which General von Hindenburg had been able to transfer from Thorn over ground frozen hard by the severe cold now prevailing. These guns keep up a continuous bombardment of the Russian lines day and night, reports say, forcing the Siberian troops to concentrate their trenches.

The Germans have been able to occupy only a few of the Russian earthworks, however, as the Siberians meet with the bayonet the charges made by the Germans when they discontinue their artillery fire for a short time.

The Russians are maintaining their offensive in the Bukowina district and in East Prussia. Because of the great number of troops that have just finished their long march they are able to do this without any great effort and also to send reinforcements to the Caucasian front.

GREAT BUKOWINA BATTLE.

A great battle is in progress in Southern Bukowina, east of Borgo Pass. After withdrawing before superior numbers of the enemy, the Austrians in that region have been reinforced and have resumed the offensive, according to a Vienna dispatch.

The first skirmishes resulted in success for the Austro-Hungarian troops and the Russian advance guards were driven back upon their main forces. Early Tuesday a general conflict began.

The Austrian general staff reports that the Russians are continuing their efforts to cross the Nida in Poland, without result and are showing more activity on the Dunajec River in Galicia.

The Przemysl garrison made a sortie Tuesday, capturing five Russian guns.

The capture of two towns from the Russians in Persia and a rapid advance by Turkish troops towards the Suez Canal were announced in the following official statement issued at Constantinople today:

"Turkish troops have advanced gradually in Aserbeidjan (Province of Persia) and hold new great positions on Wednesday, when they occupied Tabris and Ablis. The Russians abandoned both places, though they had at first prepared to defend them.

"Our forces marching toward the Suez Canal are making rapid progress."

The Turkish forces advancing toward the Suez Canal number 40,000 men, Cairo advices say. Their artillery includes many guns of the most modern type, believed to have been sent to Turkey from Germany.

According to an Athens dispatch Bulgaria has mobilized an army of 45,000 men on the Servian frontier. Most of these soldiers are stationed along the main line of the Orient Railway near Tzaribrod, and near the branch line which runs from Sofia through Xustendin to the Servian border at Egri Palanka. The mobilization of these troops has been carried on with the utmost secrecy.

(The Orient Railway runs from Constantinople through Sofia and Nish to Vienna. Tzaribrod is only forty-five miles from Nish, the Servian capital.)

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Boston Bride Causes Laugh At Show With 'Pigtail' Hair

Mrs. Stickney, Former Sally Currier, Was Just Thoughtless at St. Louis.

PHOTO BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

Mrs. William Arthur Stickney, formerly Sally Currier of Boston, whose "bobbed" hair caused a gale of laughter at St. Louis theatre.

It was at St. Louis, Louis, that Mrs. William Arthur Stickney, formerly Miss Sally Currier of Boston, first displayed her bobbed hair. "I should worry!" she exclaimed, when the audience heard with lively interest today that Mrs. William Arthur Stickney's "bobbed" hair is the latest chatter down in St. Louis. She forgot to brush her hair for the theatre and the audience laughed gleefully at her.

Mrs. Stickney is the former Sally Currier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Currier of No. 249 Commonwealth avenue. Her recent marriage to the millionaire tobacco man of St. Louis was an important item in the social calendar of each city.

Dispatches from St. Louis say that Mr. and Mrs. Stickney were at the Shubert Theatre in that city last night, with Mrs. Marie Rusch and Drummond Jones. The theatre party was arranged at the last moment, so that there was no time to secure a box. The four had seats in the second row in the orchestra.

When the young women removed their hats ushers and giggles came from all sides, owing to a sale of laughter. The latter was directed at the Stickney party. Mrs. Stickney used her mirror. She was startled and amused to see that her hair had a perfectly straight pigtail effect sticking out on top, with another projecting from the rear.

With a good natured smile Mrs. Stickney solved the hair problem. She put her hat on, pulling it well down over her head. Now she has "bunched down" in her seat, so that her hat would not obstruct the view of those directly in back. Nobody objected and the "bobbed" hair of the society bride was soon forgotten in the interest of the play.

Mr. Stickney later explained that since Mrs. Stickney has been wearing her hair short, she has occasionally forgotten to brush it. The rush to the theatre caused her to omit this important toilette item at 8:00 o'clock. When the bride-to-be went on her honeymoon last October at White Sulphur Springs, Va.—the European war having prevented a bridal trip abroad—the bride became known as "Robin Hood" in the honeymoon colony on account of a jaunty green cap she wore, perched well over on the left side of her head. The cap with ribbon bows, was not unlike the pointed headgear which tradition has attributed to the merry archers of Sherwood Forest—hence the title "Robin Hood," which she was bestowed on the bride from Boston.

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WANT LAND FOR FISH PIER SALOON

Governor Walsh and Council have been asked by the Port Directors to approve of the sale of land to the Boston Fish Market Corporation so the latter can maintain a Fish Pier saloon in South Boston, and control fishermen who now go to Atlantic avenue for liquor and frequently get drunk there.

Skippers and vessel owners suffer delay and inconvenience when crews stray away, while the men who go for to get a drink lose time and money.

The saloon will not be run for profit and will sell only good beer and liquor. Fishermen will not be allowed to get drunk on the premises. Port Directors say if the proposed saloon is established there will be "legitimate competition" between it and the Seaman's Aid Society, which now occupies commodious quarters in a pier building and offers fishermen rest and recreation under religious auspices.

The Port Directors think the saloon will be a move in the direction of sane temperance.

100,000 Shirts for British Bought Here

The British War Office has ordered 100,000 flannel shirts and 125,000 suits of underwear from Jacob Dreyfus & Son of No. 68 Summer street. Commissions from the French government are expected.

BERLIN, N. H., MAN SHOOTS COUPLE

BERLIN, N. H., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Abram Abramson is dying and her husband, a wealthy retired real estate dealer, is seriously wounded by bullets from the revolver of a former employe, who is being sought by the police of New Hampshire and Vermont.

Mrs. Abramson, who is about her husband's age, seventy years, after being twice shot, with a probable fatal bullet wound in her abdomen, begged the assailant to stop shooting and she would give him something to eat. The aged woman then prepared food and served it to the farm hand while facing death.

The aged couple live in the Page Hill district, on a farm about four miles from the centre of Berlin. They had two farm hands, Iwan Darhik, the man for whom the police are hunting, was formerly a farm hand on the Abramson place.

WOMAN BADLY WOUNDED.

Wednesday he came from the Connecticut Valley Lumber Company's power station, where he is employed, arriving in Berlin on the 3 o'clock train. It is believed that he went directly to the Abramson place, the reason for his visit and of the cause of the quarrel that resulted in the shooting are unknown to the police.

He spent the evening at the farmhouse. At midnight, while Mrs. Abramson was in bed, the quarrel ended in Darhik drawing a revolver and opening fire shot Abramson in the shoulder and in the left arm as the aged man was fleeing through the door to the barn.

Mrs. Abramson jumped out of bed at the shots and came into range in time to receive one bullet in the shoulder and one in the abdomen. It was then she begged Darhik to stop firing, and fed him. He left the house immediately after eating a hearty meal. Abramson and the two farm hands had escaped to the barn and stayed in a haymow all night.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

In the morning Abramson and his wife were carried to Abramson's son's house in Berlin. The son called in Dr. Pulsifer, who sent the couple to the hospital. Not until late last night were the police notified. Abramson has refused to give any explanation of the shooting.

Illness Forces King Peter to Quit Front

VENICE, Jan. 15.—A severe attack of rheumatism contracted while leading his troops to battle against the Austrians last month, has compelled King Peter of Servia to leave the army and go to Nish for treatment. This information was contained in a letter received here today.

Staff Chief with the Kaiser in France

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 15.—General von Falkenhayne, acting chief of staff of the German army, has gone to the French front with the Kaiser, according to information received today from Brussels. General von Falkenhayne is believed to have been present at the fighting northeast of Soissons when the French were forced back.

80,000 Armenian Refugees in Tiflis

TIFLIS, via Petrograd, Jan. 15.—Eighty thousand Armenian refugees fleeing from the Turks have arrived here and are severely taxing the Russian resources. Most of the fugitives are wholly destitute.

Sir Charles S. Nares, Explorer, Is Dead

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Vice-Admiral Sir George Strong Nares, retired, a famous Arctic explorer, died today, aged eighty-four. He commanded an Arctic exploration expedition in 1875-76.

'BROKERS WRONG' IN TAX PROTEST

Declaring that the State street brokers "are dead wrong and haven't got a leg to stand on," Deputy Commissioner Charles A. Andrews today presented to the committee on taxation the official opposition of the State Department of Taxation against the State street effort to suspend the stock transfer tax. The committee was verbally lashed by Frederick T. Fuller, a remonstrant, for its failure to properly advertise the important hearing.

"The State Commissioner of Taxation has instructed me to tell you that in his opinion the petitioners are dead wrong in this matter and they haven't got a leg to stand on," said Mr. Andrews to the committee. "He believes their petition should be dismissed at once."

The petition, which was signed by "The Boston Stock Exchange, by Walter Jackson, president," but which was admitted not to have been officially indorsed by that organization, would suspend until January 1, 1916, the State tax of two cents on every $100 share of stock that is sold. The principal claim of the petitioners was that the tax has placed the brokers in unfair competition with New York brokers and has injured the State by keeping out stock transfer agencies.

"But they have not looked at the matter from the broadest angle," insisted Deputy Commissioner Andrews. "Massachusetts has not got a single tax law on its books except this one. Last year the Legislature made a fair start to remedy an antiquated and unjust situation, and if you pass this bill that these gentlemen seek you will put the State back where it started.

"These are not the men that are paying the tax of two cents. The tax is paid by the man who sells the bond. The people who pay the tax are not here protesting.

"This tax is necessary for State revenue at present unquestionably. The tax is paid by people who can afford to pay it and whose business or livelihood will not be destroyed by it. If this bill is passed it will take from the State a revenue that we estimate will be $400,000 a year in normal times. Pass the bill and you will be obliged to get that $400,000 from Mr. Farmer out in Peru or from the industrial centres that are now laboring under conditions more alarming than the conditions of these petitioners."

Inspector Angell Stricken on Street

Police Inspector Gilbert H. Angell, attached to headquarters, was stricken with apoplexy today on Centre street, Jamaica Plain. He was rushed to the City Hospital, where he is now reported in the dangerous list. Inspector James Egan was with him at the time.

Wife-Slayer Grins at Life Sentence

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 15.—After being convicted of murder in the first degree for killing his wife last Spring, John Omer St. Denis was sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge Kibel here today and smiled cheerfully at the Judge's words.

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Austrians Eager for U. S. Securities

GENEVA, Jan. 15.—Swiss banks are receiving large sums of money and scrip from members of the Hapsburg family, members of the Austrian aristocracy and Vienna financiers as deposits and also large orders to buy American securities.

First War Prize Seen in Boston

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Mr. White announces that: "We are not out to raise up hell in Boston, but to bring a little more heaven into the hearts of those whose daily life is so full of hell already."

He asks that those who are in sympathy with the work, and those who are not, to attend the opening service.

The Church of the Social Revolution is described as standing for fellowship and comradeship of all classes, creeds and races. It preached "The Gospel of the Glad Revolt."

The church announcement cites the point that nearly 1,000 men and women in Boston struggled and crushed for one hundred vacancies which pay about fifty cents a day, while a Yale College youth has a heritage of $75,000,000.

There is something wrong in such a situation, Bouck White believes.

Elliott's Own Train Saved from Wreck

SOUTH NORWALK, Ct., Jan. 15.—The private train of Howard Elliott, president of the New Haven railroad, with Mr. Elliott and a party of friends on board, was saved from crashing into a heavy freight train near here when a railroad hand on his own authority flagged the president's special.

Henry F. Harris of Worcester Dead

WORCESTER, Jan. 15.—Henry F. Harris, one of this city's oldest and wealthiest lawyers, is dead at his home here at the age of sixty-five. He was stricken after attending the funeral of a friend.

Want $50,000 to Repair Faneuil Hall

Three Boston architects have reported that it will take $50,000 to restore Faneuil Hall to its original state, as proposed by the City Planning Board. Just what action Mayor Curley will take regarding the expenditure of city funds for this purpose is unknown.

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The Misses Ray, at left, holding her pet lemur, and Esther Slater, who will give hot suppers to 5,000 poor children of Boston.

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To lives of idle ease. —Old Poem.

Five thousand needy school children of Boston are to be given hot suppers three times a week through the generosity of the Misses Esther and Ray Slater, daughters of Mrs. Horatio N. Slater, the Back Bay society matron.

Not only will the two society girls pay for the meals—12,000 meals a week—but they will themselves be present when the children eat to see that the youngest have their fill of happiness as well as food.

The suppers will be started on January 20, and the arrangements are in charge of the Salvation Army. They will continue until February 20. The meals will be served in the People's Palace, the army's headquarters, where the Misses Slater will help the army men and women look out for the comfort of the little ones.

The charity is one of a practical sort, and will mean the gladdening of thousands of children's lives. The Misses Slater have long been active in similar lines, notably at Webster, where the employes of the famous Slater mills and their families are remembered every Christmas and on numerous occasions through the year.

Following Mrs. Slater's "cotton ball" recently, the engagement of Miss Esther to Benjamin Sumner Welles of New York was announced. She made her debut at a ball at the Somerset in December, 1913. Her younger sister, Miss Ray, is, like herself, keenly interested in outdoor diversions, and is an enthusiastic automobilist.

Curley Plans Motors for Fire Department

In an address on "Municipal Administration," under the auspices of the Field and Forest Club at the Boston Public Library, Mayor Curley declared that he would motorize the entire fire department during his tenure of office, and by this would save the department a quarter of a million dollars a year. This motorization would reduce the number of firemen from 960 to 800.

Assistant Heads Symphony Orchestra

Ernst Schmidt, the newly appointed assistant conductor of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, conducted the concert of the orchestra in Cambridge. Dr. Karl Muck was confined to his home with a cold. The new assistant proved his sincerity and ability for the work. The virtue of his performance was in his quiet authority and control.

Whist to Aid Charity.

The first social event to be given under the direction of the League of Catholic Women will be held in the new St. Cecelia's Guild Hall, No. 20 Belvidere street, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. It will be an auction bridge and progressive whist party. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the charitable works of the league.

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HOSPITAL SHIP AIDS FISHERMEN

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 15.—Less than a week out on its new patrol as "the fishermen's hospital ship," the United States revenue cutter Androscoggin has already done humanitarian service.

The cutter put in here with Captain J. Henry Larkin of Chelsea, Mass., skipper of the Gloucester fishing schooner Onata, who was suffering from appendicitis. He was taken off his vessel at Shelburne, and then the Androscoggin dashed to this port so that the patient might get treatment at a hospital. Doctors at the hospital he was taken to said the treatment given him aboard the cutter was such that an operation may not now be necessary. Had the skipper been delayed in getting treatment his condition would have been far more serious, they said.

The Androscoggin had been out only three days when she was hailed by a fishing schooner with a request for treatment of a fisherman for an eye trouble. Dr. C. H. Cox of the United States Health Department, who is the surgeon and general practitioner aboard the Androscoggin, attended to the man's needs and he was able to return to his work.

The Androscoggin will leave again today to visit Brown's and La Have Banks, where a few schooners are braving the perils and rigors of the Winter fisheries.

Routs Highwaymen with Swift Kick

MILLBURY, Jan. 15.—Instead of throwing up his hands when accosted by two highwaymen here, Daniel M. Lyons of Worcester kicked one of the pair in the face, then robber in falling struck his companion, and he too fell. Before the men could get up, Lyons was out of their reach though one of the two fired at him. The State police are hunting for the robbers.

Plan Flights from Boston to Frisco

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The Aero Club of America has announced that flights will be made this year from Boston, New York and Washington in connection with the exposition at San Francisco. The flights will be made to San Francisco. Awards for the year for flights and benefits to aviation were announced.

SINCARNA "Without Meat"

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Smack your lips and ask for another cup! A single taste and you will agree that no other bouillon made can approach Sincarnain flavor, while in wholesomeness it far surpasses any meat product. Simply the food essence of fine fresh vegetable materials, concentrated and seasoned to give that rare snap, zest and piquancy everybody enjoys! Try Sincarna at once.

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CITY MAIL ORDER AID FOR BOSTON

Mayor Curley has new publicity plans for Boston, favoring what is practically a municipal mail order house. He will organize a committee of business men to raise funds and select two or three advertising men to circularize Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont for the local dealers and create a demand among the people of those States to trade in Boston.

This enterprise will be apart from the Boston Industrial Development Board which the Mayor organized on taking office, giving $1,000 of his first year's salary to its treasury.

Mayor Curley learns that two of the principal mail order houses do a business in Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont twenty times greater than the business done there by Boston merchants. They send out catalogues of their goods, he said, "through all New England. People buy even their pork and beans through a mail order house."

$226,250,000 Outlay in Street Railways

That $226,250,000 is invested in street and elevated railways in Massachusetts is stated in the special report of the Public Service Commission. That amount includes $25,000,000 in the Boston subways and tunnels. The commission estimates that the taking over of the property would cost the State $200,000,000, plus a return of ten per cent to the owners from the time the owners invested their money.

Labor Men Commend Massachusetts Law

The executive council of the American Federation of Labor at Washington has commended the Workmen's Compensation law of Massachusetts. After a long discussion of the law, the council voted to urge all State Federations of Labor to seek the enactment of similar legislation in their States.

Find Sea Chest from Shipwreck

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Jan. 15.—The government was notified that on December 23, on an island off the north coast of Scotland, a sea chest was picked up containing life belts belonging to the sealing steamer Southern Cross, which foundered off Cape Race on March 31 last, with 173 men aboard. The chest evidently drifted across the Atlantic.

Vermont Judge Drops Dead.

MONTPELIER, Vt., Jan. 15.—James L. Martin of Brattleboro, judge of the United States District Court, dropped dead at the Montpelier & Wells River Railroad.

Brain Fag

Same old grind, day in and day out. Losing your nerve, feeling "run-down" and nearly all-in." What you need is something which will renew your over-worked and under-nourished vital forces. You need

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The Famous English Tonic

It contains no drugs—nothing but concentrated vitalising food elements in agreeable form.

Sample bottle and 24-page booklet, "How to Get Well," sent for 10c to cover cost of packing and forwarding. The booklet alone free on request. Use the coupon below.

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According to the Journal of the American Medical Association (July 27, 1912, Page 208), Dr. C. F. Dixon of Minneapolis holds that a "deficiency of calcium" (lime) is responsible for the physical conditions which lead to tuberculosis, "and the therapy he advocates rests on this basis."

One of the methods for the widespread use of Eckman's Alterative in the treatment of tuberculosis and chronic throat and bronchial troubles is its ability to supply the calcium.

It contains a lime salt in such form and so combined with other remedial agents as to be easily assimilated by the average person. There are on record many cases in which it seems to have effected complete and lasting betterment.

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Men's Furnishing Dept., Main Floor and Entire Bargain Aisle Main Floor

Sale of the Entire Stock of Wilson's Men's Shop 178 Federal Street

178 FEDERAL ST.

Down in the financial section of Boston, where men wear good clothes and know the value of a dollar, Wilson conducted the Ideal Men's Shop at 178 Federal Street. Business was booming, but during the period when the stock exchange was closed and Wilson was forced into bankruptcy.

W. & A. Bacon Co. made a bid for the stock and secured it at about 60c on the dollar. Today and Saturday the entire main floor bargain aisle will be given over exclusively to the sale of Wilson's stock. The store opens at 7:30 a. m. Saturday. No mail nor C. O. D. orders.

NOTICE TO MEN
Men's Furnishing Dept.—Main Floor
OPENS 7:30 A. M. Saturday

Suspenders & Collars

21c—for 35c Suspenders, elastic web.
39c—for 50c O. B. Imported Suspenders, same as Guyot's.
10c—for 25c Pad Garters.
3c—each for 2 for 25c Collars; dozen 29c; up-to-date styles and shapes, all sizes.

Men's Underwear

$1.50—for $2.50 Medicot Underwear.
69c—for $1.00 Union Suits.
39c—for 50c Shirts and Drawers.
69c—for $1.00 Wool Shirts and Drawers.
$1.45—for $2.50 Wool Union Suits.
$3.45—for $5.00 Silk and Wool Union Suits.

Men's Hosiery

5c—for 10c Cotton Half Hose.
12½c—for 25c Half Hose.
19c—for 50c Onyx Silk Half Hose.
19c—for 25c Cashmere Half Hose.

Men's Shirts

95c—for $1.50 Shirts with soft cuffs.
$1.00—for $2.00 Shirts with soft cuffs, neatly-mixed or hooked fronts.
69c—for $1.00 Shirts with soft and stiff cuffs.
27c—for 49c Shirts with stiff cuffs.
69c—for $1, $1.50, $2 Shirts, white, with stiff bosoms.
49c—for 89c Shirts with stiff cuffs.

Night Robes & Pajamas

69c—for $1.00 Domet Pajamas.
59c—for $1.00 Night Robes.
39c—for 50c Muslin Night Shirts.
$1.15—for $1.98 Crepe Pajamas.
49c—for 69c Domet Night Shirts.

Neckwear and Handkerchiefs

12½c—for 25c Silk Open End Ties.
19c—for 35c Silk Open End Ties.
35c—for 50c Silk Ties.
15c—for 25c Silk Handkerchiefs.
5c—for 25c Checker Board Sets.

Men's Gloves

49c—for Men's 75c to $2.00 Gloves.

Men—Get Ready For the Rush for

Men's $12 and $15 Overcoats $6.95

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Entire Surplus Stock from the Great Penn Clothing Co.

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Bought at 50c on the Dollar. On Sale at

A price not heretofore advertised on men's new $12 and $15 Overcoats.

If you knew the Penn Clothing Co. as we know them you would hurry to Bacons' today or tomorrow for one of these fine coats.

A fine opportunity to get a new coat for the remainder of this season and all of next at half the price you would pay next fall. The town is full of clothing sales. Study the values offered elsewhere and buy where your judgment dictates, but don't forget Bacons' reputation of over one hundred years' square dealing.

Boston Is Full of Good Stores, But Bacons' Is the Grand Daddy of 'Em All.

Again We Offer Boys' $6 Clothing at $3.95

TODAY AND SATURDAY Third Floor

Which Proved So Popular in One of Our Recent Sales

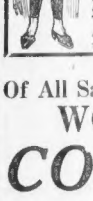
A saving of $2.05 on each garment is not to be lightly passed by in these essentially economical days

Boys' $6.00 Mackinaws
Boys' $6.00 Overcoats
Boys' $6.00 Suits
$3.95

$3.95—For Boys' $6.00 Mackinaws, all wool fancy plaids.

$3.95—For Boys' $6.00 Overcoats, made of gray and brown friezes, brown, blue and gray chinchilla and fancy materials. Also some polmacaans in the lot. Sizes 3 to 9 years.

$3.95—For Boys' $6.00 Suits, made of all-wool serge, some with extra knickers colors are navy and brown. Blouse and Russian suits sizes 3 to 10 years. Other suits, 6 to 17 years.



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Balmacaans in fancy mixtures, blue, gray and brown chinchillas—overcoats in black or oxford gray—velvet collars—Heavy All Wool Cheviot Coats, Plaid Backs—some full lined Long Coats with convertible collars—Double Breasted Overcoats—All sizes for men and young men.

$6.95

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WOMEN'S AND MISSES'

COATS $17.50 Values 19.75 Values 21.75 Values $9.75

Second Floor

January is the time when mills, manufacturers and retailers take their losses. The mills, to clean up their winter stocks—the manufacturers to keep their factories busy during an otherwise dull season—the retailers to force business. Each has shared in the loss on these coats, thereby giving you a coat for about the regular price of the materials alone.

The character of the coats indicates that we will not be able to repeat the offer. All should be sold in two days, although there are hundreds from which to select.

The styles are the very latest. The coats are all new. The materials are the best. The workmanship is of an excellence indicated by the values—$17.50, $19.75 and $21.75.

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$5.00 and $6.00 SKIRTS $1.95

Today and Saturday

Second Floor

While in New York a few days ago our buyer saw a sale of skirts at one of the big stores that inspired this event.

Crowds of women were selecting $5 and $6 skirts at $2.95.

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The materials are PLAIDS AND MIXTURES IN BLUE AND GREEN, BLUE AND BROWN, GRAYS AND TANS; also NAVY AND BLACK SERGES, MATELASSES, BLACK DIAGONALS, ROMAN STRIPES, EPONGE and NUMEROUS OTHER FABRICS.

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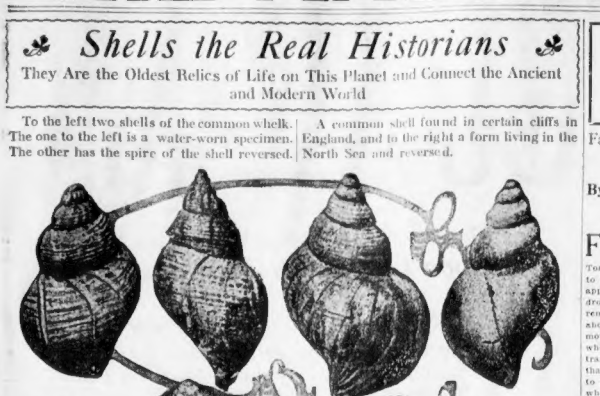
THE AMERICAN'S MAGAZINE PAGE

Shells the Real Historians

They Are the Oldest Relics of Life on This Planet and Connect the Ancient and Modern World

To the left two shells of the common whelk. The one to the left is a water-worn specimen. The other has the spire of the shell reversed.

A common shell found in certain cliffs in England, and to the right a form living in the North Sea and reversed.



A shell found in great quantities in the British Ocean.

Inner surface of the left valve of the shell.

By GARRETT P. SERVISS

TIME really ancient history of the earth is told by shells. The bones that geologists find belong to relatively recent periods. The true patriarchs were the shell-makers, ancestors of the oyster and the clam.

It is no very uncommon thing to find shells, which must be millions of years old, so perfect and beautiful that, at first sight, one is inclined to think their living inmates had only just quitted them. The animals that existed ages before man's appearance were as beautiful in form, color and decoration as those of today, and the shells in which they lived and which they bore with them, as we carry our garments, have outlasted the seas in which they grew and endured while continents shifted their outlines like clouds, and mountain ranges rose and sunk and rose again like the crests of ocean waves.

A number of these symbols of long-past life from this earth of ours are shown in the photographs on this page. These come out of the foundations of England. They go back to the Great Chalk age and the early epochs of the Tertiary age. Compare them with modern shells, made by similar species of mollusks, and observe how enduring are nature's fashions. You see, still, the same curves, the same stripes, the same graceful spirals, mounting to a delicate finial, the same proportions, the same manner of turning the whorl of the shell, now right, now left, or reversed.

That mysterious thing called life, manifesting itself in the gelatinous bodies of these shell-making mollusks, has, for untold aeons of time, inspired their dull, shapeless, unfeelingly brains with an unchanging idea, always realizing itself in the same beautiful material forms.

Geologists know the ancient ocean which covered the present site of the British Isles in the confessedly great chalk age as the "chalk sea," and Huxley remarked that it was by the population of the chalk sea that the ancient and the modern inhabitants of our world were most completely connected.

You can see something of that connection in these pictures. Look at the four fine spiral shells representing the common whelks of today and similar animals living in the ancient sea. As Huxley has said, when we find these modern forms scattered among the forms of other, and more numerous, ancient animals, which vanished from the living world ages ago, they look to us "like Yankee peddlers among a tribe of red Indians."

See if you can imagine any reason for the selection of such forms as shells present by the life-forces animating the various species of soft-bodied, almost shapeless, animals called mollusks, like the corals, another species of chalk-secreting animal, and observe the exquisite shaped and colored shells which, colonies of these little creatures, working together upon a common plan, have produced in solid, semi-translucent, alabaster-like material, stained with tints of indescribable beauty.

Many shells equal, if they do not exceed, in beauty of coloration and delicacy of form, the finest products of the floral world; they had these characteristics countless centuries before man came upon the earth to appraise and appreciate the beauties; their beauty does not serve, as is the case with flowers, to attract the attention of other creatures, which, like bees and butterflies, may fertilize them; the makers of these shells do not possess the faculty of vision by which they might admire themselves or their fellows, and yet, all this beauty exists, and, by persisting age after age, shows that its existence is part of some great creative plan which we cannot even begin to comprehend.

One cannot get away from the wonder which is inspired by the reflection that the same life force, or tendency, or whatever you may call it, which produces one of these spiral shells today, has been in operation, in precisely the same way, for whole aeons of time, while other life forces, producing other characteristic forms, are equally persistent.

The force of gravitation draws all matter toward a center; the life forces shape it into an almost infinite variety of forms, and yet each of the life forces produces its own particular, animating law. You lift up a handful of sand and let it go, and gravitation makes it fall straight down. Gravitation knows only that one act. You let the vital forces of a growing mollusk take possession of the same chemical substances and they are shaped, with as much certainty and invariability of action as gravitation exhibits, into a spiral shell, whose every turn, and every slope and shade of curvature, is the same at the end as it was ten million years ago or in the beginning.

But give those substances to another mollusk and its vital forces impart a very different form to them, but a form that is equally the result of an enduring tendency.

MRS. THOMSON TELLS WOMEN

How She Was Helped During Change of Life by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I am just 52 years of age and during Change of Life I suffered for six years terribly. I tried several doctors but none seemed to give me any relief. Every month the pains were intense in both sides, and made me so weak I had to go to bed. At last a friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and I tried it at once and found much relief. After that I had no pains at all and could do my housework and shopping the same as always. For years I have praised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for what it has done for me, and shall always recommend it as a woman's friend. You are at liberty to use my letter in any way."—Mrs. Thomson, 649 W. Russell St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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What Do You Read?

Beatrice Fairfax Tells of the Pleasure in Worth-While Books

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

HAVE you "the tired business man" type of mind which insists on gayety for relaxation and ready to be entertained? Does your daily reading consist of the headlines in the newspapers? Do you carefully omit, on your perusal all editorials, and are you particular not to read the serious, instructive articles which the magazines offer you? Do you ignore all the world of literature in which poetry, the drama, essays and charmingly written biographies, histories, works of science and philosophy lie?

Reading worth-while things is honestly nothing more or less than a question of getting the habit.

I know a young woman who so proudly boasted that she had read none of the classic novels. And then someone gave her Victor Hugo's "Notre Dame." Feeling that she owed it to the donor to read the book, she set about what she supposed was going to be a very dry task. Here is the confession she made to me:

"I found as thrilling a romance, as fascinating a love story as any of my favorite lurid sellers' and ever given me. Then, too, I discovered a real philosophy back of the story. I found myself interested in the discussion of architecture and in the description of old Paris. My goodness, when I got through with that book I was fairly inspired to go off and study architecture, the history of the church, the dresses and customs of the fifteenth century and the chronicles of Margaret of Flanders. And I give you my word that I found reading the ordinary love story about as interesting as drinking hot water in place of a fragrant cup of coffee!"

There is the testimony of an average girl against the classical novel versus the passing romance.

Reading is the remedy for amusement becomes rather appalling amusement to any mind that is at all sensitive. Reading for instruction is by no means a dull and dry affair. You simply have to know what to read. Cast about in your mind for something in which you are interested—for every thinking human being has surely one major interest and several minor ones. Suppose you like music. Go to the nearest public library station and ask for suggestions as to reading along this line.

Even if your interest is merely in the melody of popular songs, you will find yourself delighted by the wonderful fortitude of Beethoven's life, for instance, by the romance of Mozart's, or by the magnificent piety for work of Abbe Franz Liszt.

In all of life there is interest. In all sorts of writing there is the element of being "a human document"—silence writing must chronicle conditions of life and living or theories about them.

There are no more splendid historical novels than the actual facts of history. There are no more thrilling adventure stories than the real tales of such a man as Stanley, for instance. And on through all the departments in which fiction deals, fact supplies romances fully as great as those which fiction offers.

If you have ever listened to a really brilliant and charming man talking, you have undoubtedly thrilled responsive to his viewpoint and sympathetic to his mood. The good results of this are some stimulation.

Reading worth-while books will open a magnificent vista of understanding, of life and people and of yourself too. It will keep you from boredom and from slipping back mentally. It will prove just as interesting, even at first, as the most interesting when you get into the learning of it. There are some amusements than does the "hot water diet" of reading trash. Good reading—the aroma of fragrant coffee—the stimulation of your own thoughts through the thoughts of others. Doesn't it sound tempting? Try it.

Special Edition

Two newsboys sat in a theatre gallery while "Hamlet" was being played. It was the first time they had seen a play, and they were quivering with excitement. In the last scene, after Hamlet had killed Laertes and the King, the queen had died of poison, and the "Moody Dane" of a poisoned wound the younger of the lads could contain himself no longer. Turning to his chum of the streets, in rapturous tones he said:

"Gosh, Bill, what a time for selling extras!"

The Fortunes of Fanny

Fannie Resents Attempts of Delia's Brother to Kiss Her and Thereby Causes a Row

By Virginia Terhune Van de Water

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FANNY pretended to be asleep when Delia came up to bed on the night of the episode with Tom O'Brien. But the cook was not to be kept quiet by her companion's apparent slumber. Instead she dropped her shoes upon the floor in removing them, and wearily heaved about the room. Yet Fanny did not move nor open her eyes. At last, when ready for bed, Delia closed the transom with a slam. Fanny knew that this was an act of spite designed to call forth a protest from the girl who could not sleep in an unventilated room.

Yet the action failed of its effect, for some time after Delia had turned off the light and laid down in her own bed. An hour passed, during which Fanny lay motionless, trying to forget the closeness of the room and the foul odors that could not escape. At last, feeling that she could endure the conditions no longer, she arose softly, and, tiptoeing across the floor, gently opened the transom. But Delia had been listening for her, and in an instant was on her feet and had switched on the light.

"What are you doing?" she demanded.

"I am opening the transom," Fanny explained. "It is too close in here."

"Well, I ain't going to have it open—see?" Delia rejoined. "It's a cold night, anyway, and I've put up with all the last of your notions. Ever I've slept many a night with the wind from the hall blowin' on me, and add never a word; and I've done you many's the good turn with your work—helpin' you with your clean and puttin' you wise when you didn't know lots of things about waitin' on the table and such like. And all the thanks I get is that you will insult me brother—and him every inch so good and better than yourself!"

"If your brother had not forgotten himself to the extent of trying to lay hands on me I would not have done what I did," Fanny insisted softly. "I have never allowed any man to take liberties with me, and I don't propose to allow it now."

DELIA RUSHES TO THE AID OF HER BROTHER

"'Liberties'—do you say!" Delia exclaimed. "I'll have you understand that Tom O'Brien is not the man that would take any liberties with any good gurrl! All he did was in fun, and if you hadn't a been so stuck up you'd not have minded it. And I'm not stand for it again! You'll not take on no more such airs over me or me friends, and you may as well put that in your pipe and smoke it!"

Fanny stood still looking at the excited creature. She was entirely at a loss as to how to reply to this invective.

"I do not wish to discuss the matter further," she said at last. "What I do is my own business and mine only."

After which she switched off the light and returned to her bed. But with an exclamation of anger, Delia bounced up, turned on the light and shut the transom with a bang that reverberated through the house.

"You'll leave that be!" she declared shrilly. "I guess I've got as good a right to do as I please as you have—you white-faced, red-headed——"

A sudden knock on the door stopped her in the midst of her tirade.

"Delia! Delia!" called Mrs. Irwin sharply. "What is all this noise about? It's disgraceful, and I won't stand it! Open the door!"

For Delia had turned the key behind her when she came up to bed. As she obeyed her mistress's orders she stood rewigged, flushed and angry.

"What is all this noise about?" Mrs. Irwin repeated.

"Sure, ma'am," Delia started to explain, "it's freezin' I am with so much air in the room, but Fanny will have the transom open and I'm just after tellin' her that I'll not have it open."

"Good heavens!" exclaimed the matron as she stepped into the room. "I don't see how either of you can breathe in the atmosphere in here. Why it's actually foul—that what it is—foul! Fanny might better shut the transom and open the window and let out some of this awful odor. This is enough to make you both ill. Shh!" —with a shrug of her shoulders and a glance at the silent girl lying on her bed—"do as you please! I don't care a whit about my servants' quarters, but they've got to keep them to themselves and not disturb me. Understand—both of you!"

MRS. IRWIN ORDERS SILENCE AND DEPARTS

And with another disgusted sniff she went from the room and down the stairs with as much dignity as was compatible with an elderdown bathrobe and a pair of large felt slippers.

There was silence, during which Fanny turned her face to the wall and closed her eyes. She was too sick at heart to argue further. Talk did no good.

Delia, after waiting for a moment for a return of hostilities, got out the light and got back into bed. She had won the battle, she reflected, for the transom was closed.

So soothing was this thought to the tired cook that she was soon asleep and snoring loudly. Fanny lay motionless for a long while until the nerve-racking proof of her companion's unconsciousness of her present surroundings had persisted for almost an hour. Then, slipping softly from her bed the unhappy girl set the transom ajar.

Even then Fanny could not sleep. Anything was better than this kind of life, she told herself. It was not enough to be a servant—she was worse still to be with another servant such as this one. She understood what was the most objectionable part of domestic service for a refined girl, it was the enforced and unavoidable companionship of people like Delia.

The events of the evening had decided Fanny in one as to her course. She would seek a place as general housework maid. She would tell Mrs. Irwin frankly that another girl was going to leave her when her wages were up, two days hence. And with this decision, she fell into an uneasy sleep.

(To Be Continued.)

Odd Facts the World Over

A VISIT to the interior of a huge volcano crater in Hawaii is thus given by W. W. Castle:

"According to all the rules of school geographies a volcano ought to be situated on the top of a mountain; it ought to throw out stones and ashes and molten lava; its crater should be in the shape of an inverted cone, and should emit terrifying noises; periodically it should overwhelm a village or two. Kilauea, on the Island of Hawaii, conforms to none of these specifications. It has thrown out neither stones nor ashes since it annihilated the army that was marching against Kamehameha, seven hundred and fifty years ago.

"The walk across the floor of the crater, about two and a half miles, is over a hard lava bed, more or less up and down, since lava hardens quickly, and remains as it first set, in great ropes and ripples. A few yards from where one enters stands what we call the bank 'shore'—a ragged crack is crossed by a wooden bridge.

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Among the most remarkable laws of the Incas were those concerning taxation. The principal feature was that taxes were not paid in money, but in work and in produce. The Inca emperors thought it unjust to demand that taxes should be paid in any kind of commodity that the people could not produce by their own personal labor.

The people also paid another sort of tribute. They made clothes, shoes and arms for the soldiers and for the poor who could not work themselves owing to age or infirmity. The cloth was made of wool from the flocks of llamas that abounded in the mountains. On the plains of the seacoast, where the climate is warm and they **do not dress** in woollens, the people made cotton cloths, the cotton being supplied from the crops of the emperor. The shoes were made in the provinces where aloes were most abundant, for they were made of the leaves of a tree called maguey. Each province furnished its own produce, and no province had to supply anything that did not belong to it.

There was a mandate that forbade beggary and destitution.

A Dreary Job

At seventeen a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of socks. He has probably just left school, and feels that he owes it to an expectant world to give it a trial.

Something of this sort, at any rate, was in the unripe brain of Cuthbert Henry. His socks and ties were of the Autumn sunset order, with a dash of the spring-time sunbeam and Zulu war paint thrown in.

These filled his little soul with untold delight. The only blot on an otherwise perfect state of things was that his mustache, not to mention his beard, showed no signs of appearing. In the seclusion of his bedroom he rubbed all sorts of promising liquids and pastes into his bun-like face without producing anything but a few red spots. In desperation he decided to begin shaving, as he had been told that made the hair grow.

He walked into a barber's shop and sat down.

"Shave, please!" quoth he.

Without a word the barber lathered his face and then stood idly by Cuthbert Henry's side, as though he expected something to happen.

"What are you waiting for, my man?" quoth Cuthbert Henry.

"For your beard, sir!" replied that worthy tradesman.

The Husband Hunters

Bonnie Persuades Her Sister to Risk a Step Up in the World

Bonnie and—

By ANN LISLE

JUDITH MORTIMER rested before attacking the third flight of stairs in Mrs. Spencer's boarding house. That flight always seemed fully as long as the other two combined, and the little black bag that contained tonics and lotions, rubber sprays, cushions and all the paraphernalia of a hair-dresser's trade never seemed so heavy as when it was being conveyed to that last flight of stairs at 8 o'clock at night, when Judy's ten-hour day of work was over.

Tonight she felt particularly tired and a little bitter, for already her younger sister was earning thirty dollars a week as head instructor of the La Claire Dancing Academy, and twenty-year-old Bonnie had devoted just six months of her time to dancing, while thirty-year-old Judy had given six years to becoming an expert in the art of shampooing.

"I declare, Judy," commented that young woman to herself, "you're so tired that you are turning into a jealous old cat. But I don't believe you can work ten hours a day much longer."

Then came the scourging thought that unless she worked ten hours a day Bonnie would be the main wage-earner of the family, and that the younger sister surely ought to be given a fair chance to save half of her earnings, which she wouldn't unless Judy held up her end of things.

A warm, cozy room and a radiant Bonnie greeted her at the end of that last long flight of stairs.

"Judy, I have the grandest scheme! Do you know we two young persons are earning at the rate of about $2,500 a year, and we live in a fourteen-dollar room in a fourth-rate boarding house. What do you say to going housekeeping?"

Judith laughed, with a serious appreciation of the fact that Bonnie never discussed her ideas until they were pretty well worked out.

THE NEW ADDRESS

"What's our new address, Miss Bonibelle M.?" she asked. Bonnie giggled. "You certainly are an old dear, Jo. Well, Reginald Burke's company has a new building just finished. We can have a lovely big room that will be my studio du danse, a nice living room and a cute little kitchenette curtained off one end of that, and then a wee bedroom and bath for one of us, and a couch in the studio for me to sleep on when pupils aren't resting on it—and all for $60 a month. It's a pretty good neighborhood, too.

"Sixty dollars a month is $720 a year, Bonnie; that's more than a quarter of our earning capacity."

"Yes, but I expect to make at least $60 a week in my own little studio. And, Judy, doesn't dancing run in the family? Couldn't you learn? Just think how stunning it would look on a card:

Miss Judith Hoyt-Mortimer
Miss Bonnibelle Hoyt-Mortimer
Lessons in the Dance."

Judith collapsed on her own little bed. She could reconcile myself to educating my long-tressed of my fingertips, Bonnie. It's just a transfer from one career to another. But how under the sun do I get to be Miss Mortimer?"

Bonnie rose and made her a deep salaam. "Wasn't our mother Grace Hoyt? Just because she didn't think of pronouncing it doesn't alter the reason why we can't fix it up a little. Come on, Judy, be game. You don't look a day over twenty-four, and I bet you could learn to dance if I spent an hour an evening with you for a week. You could keep up your shampooing till you saw how you enjoyed educating your feet."

"At $2 an hour, if we each gave five lessons a day we'd make $120 a week. Judy, it's worth a step up. Won't you take it with me?"

THOSE LITTLE TESS

"Take a step, take a step," hummed Judy. "There's no harm in your teaching me to dance, Bonnie, and I think we could risk that studio. I'll go with you Sunday morning to see it."

"Do you know, I like the idea of having Reginald Burke see what a well bred 'chaperon' I have," trilled Bonnie, triumphantly.

Judy winced at the word, and then consoled herself with the memory that Bonnie had said she didn't look a day over twenty-four. Her feet fairly tingled to learn to twirl into the rhythm of the steps she had never had the time to learn. She felt the years slipping away at the thought that in a month or two she would no longer be carrying the heavy black bag from house to house.

"Oh, Judy it will be such fun to have little Sunday night teas and invite Reginald Burke and his friends. We'll have to get awfully pretty furniture for our little living room. But then, with $500 in the bank, don't you think we could risk half of that?"

"Oh, we can pick up lovely things at auctions," replied Judy, and then a practical thought held her for a moment. "Where will you get your pupils, Bonnie?"

"Oh, Reginald Burke's coming and his friend Clyde Dalton and two or three other chaps from his real estate office. And then I have been looking up a lot of people in the Social Register. I'll have Griffany's engrave our cards, and you address them with your pretty writing, and I'll wager Jimmy Blake-Compton himself will come to our The Dansants!"

"Oh, you haven't forgotten the Blake-Comptons," laughed Judy.

Bonnie turned and surveyed her thoughtfully. Some day the Blake-Comptons and people like them were going to "eat out of" Bonnie Mortimer's hand, even if it took "Miss Hoyt-Mortimer's" educated twinkletoes to persuade them to do it!

(To Be Continued.)

Reginald Burke.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

ASK AN EXPLANATION

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

About six months ago I met a young man, who, after going with me for two months, asked me to become his wife. I asked him to ask my parents, which he did, and they having given their consent, we were preparing to be engaged.

Suddenly my intended informed me that he was in serious trouble and that our engagement would have to be postponed. He told me if I had other chances I should not discard them, as he did not know how things would turn out.

I am heartbroken, as my parents have asked me to give him up.

On his birthday, one day last week, I sent him a card. Did I do wrong? He telephones occasionally. HEARTBROKEN.

YOU must either dismiss all thoughts of this young man from your mind or persuade your father to interview him as to the cause of his peculiar actions. Perhaps with the help of an older man he might be able to extricate himself from his trouble, whatever it is. In any case, you ought to be informed as to the cause of your broken engagement.

MOURNING YOUR SWEETHEART

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

How should a girl mourn her sweetheart?

Is it proper or improper for the girl to wear black at the funeral?

Should flowers be sent?

The above talk you in behalf of a friend who has been keeping company with a young man two years and now is ill beyond recovery she fears.

A CONSTANT READER.

A GIRL must mourn her sweetheart as her own feelings dictate. I do not believe in conventional mourning for a certain number of days. It is not right to deliberately try to be sad. Your friend may send flowers as a last tribute and should dress quietly in dark colors at the funeral. But she need not wear conventional mourning or do anything that her own heart does not long to offer to the memory of the dead.

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PRIEST FEEDS 200 ON MT. IDA JOB

Monsignor Peter Ronan, pastor of St. Peter's Church on Meeting House Hill, ordered hot coffee and rolls to be provided this noon for 210 workmen engaged in grading and levelling the municipal playground on Mt. Ida in Dorchester. The place is called Ronan Park, in honor of the Monsignor.

To give emergency work to the unemployed Mayor Curley put 110 men at work yesterday at Ronan Park. They began levelling the ground, filling in an old cellar hole and otherwise putting the park in shape for Summer use by the mothers and children of Mt. Ida district.

The Monsignor, interested in this improvement in the park named for him and also hearing that some of the unemployed who were being put on the job were without money to buy noonday meals, hurried over to the playground. He found some of the men without dinner pails or dinner money.

As quickly as he could in such a short time, the Monsignor had coffee and rolls brought to the playground for the needy men.

Today he had time to make more complete arrangements. One hundred more men were taken on today, a total of 210. Father Ronan made inquiry in the morning, then authorized Superintendent James M. Brady of the playground to order twenty gallons of coffee, 400 big rolls and cans of sardines.

MISS SADIE BAKER,

seventeen-year-old Dorchester fire heroine.

QUIT MEAT WHEN KIDNEYS BOTHER

Take a glass of Salts if your Back hurts or Bladder troubles you.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become over-worked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

GIRL RESCUES 3 CHILDREN IN FIRE

There was praise along Fabyan street, Dorchester, today, for Sadie Baker. She rescued Mildred, George and Anna Thompson from fire and smoke.

Sadie is seventeen years old and lives on the second floor at No. 134 Fabyan street. The ground floor apartment is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Thompson. They have three children, Mildred, fourteen; Anna, ten; and George, six.

While Mr. and Mrs. Thompson were out early last night smoke came curling from their apartment, where the three children were.

Sadie Baker on the floor above smelled the smoke, groped her way down the stifling hallway, entered the Thompson flat and found the three children in terror from a fire blazing in the living room closet. Sadie picked six-year-old George up and lugged him out bodily. Then she came back and led the other two children to the street. After that she ran up to the top floor and helped Mr. and Mrs. Max Silk come down with Henry Silk, nine, and Herbert four.

Meanwhile two men in the street had sent in a fire alarm. The firemen kept the flames to the first floor, with damage estimated at $1,000.

The closet blaze, which began the trouble, is said to have been caused by the familiar combination of children and matches.

Chokes to Death on Chop.

LEOMINSTER, Jan. 15.—George C. Allen, traveling salesman, choked to death while eating a pork chop.

BOY SENTENCED TRIES TO ESCAPE

After being sentenced to the Concord reformatory as a stubborn child, Antonio Bevilacqua, seventeen, made a dash for liberty through the Municipal Court room today, over turning a settee and spilling four men spectators to the floor.

The youth was overtaken, but for several minutes he fought his captors off, and it took the combined strength of Court Officer Abbott, Probation Officer Warren and Policemen Flaherty and Walsh to subdue him. The four lifted him and literally carried him to the detention room.

The youth made his break just after Judge Sheehan had passed sentence. The lad's mother was the complainant against him, and the court was told that Antonio was in the habit of "barricading" the doors of his home and then breaking the furniture.

Offers $1,000,000 for St. Louis Jobless

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 15.—J. Lionberger Davis, an attorney for large banking interests, has informed the Board of Estimate that a St. Louis banker stands ready to lend the unemployed committee of thirty $1,000,000 to be used in giving the unemployed work. The banker agrees to lend the money at nominal interest. He suggests that it can be used on public improvements. From 40,000 to 75,000 are unemployed here, according to estimates.

Cobb Urges Strong U. S. Army and Navy

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 15.—Irving S. Cobb, lecturing here on the war, said: "I pray that my country may never be involved in war unless it is one for honor or defence. Knowing that there is always the dread possibility, I stand for the greatest measure of preparedness possible. It is good insurance and I hope we will have the best army and navy it is possible for money to buy."

W. H. Brown Not Involved in Case

An item in yesterday's AMERICAN to the effect that William H. Brown of Natick had been held on charges of breaking and entering and larceny should have read Branigan instead of Brown. This correction is made in justice to William H. Brown of Natick, who is in no way involved in the case.

Mrs. Kenning Files Suit for Divorce

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 15.—Mrs. Eleanor Kenning has filed suit for divorce here against Henry Kenning, former pastor of Peace Chapel, alleging cruel and abusive treatment. Recently Kenning was arrested on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon, his wife being the complainant. She claimed he threatened to shoot her.

Mail Ship Wrecked, Passengers Saved

PORT LOUIS, Mauritus Island, Jan. 15.—The steamer Canara, bound from Colombo, was wrecked a mile east of Cove Point Bight on Thursday. Her mails and passengers were landed today. There is twenty-one feet of water in her hold.

INTENSE ITCHING BURNING OF SKIN

Trouble on Hands. Suffered Awfully. Could Not Put Hands in Water. Used Cuticura. (In a Month Would Never Know Hands Were Sore.

"I Bessom St., Lynn, Mass.—"My trouble broke out with little pimples on my hands. They would fill with a watery substance and would break. After a while the whole backs and palms of my hands were inflamed. I suffered awfully with the itching and burning. I would scratch until my hands were red, the itching and burning were so intense. Would keep awake half the night. I could not put my hands in water for just as soon as it touched them I would almost go crazy. For one year and a half I could not do my work.

"I tried everything anybody told me about. My hands were sore two years before I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The first time I used them I felt relieved and the itching began to stop. In a month you would never know that my hands were ever sore." (Signed) Mrs. Susie M. Edson, Oct. 1, 1914.

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Drink Hot Tea For a Bad Cold

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

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No matter how fine a garment you want, you will find it here now at a big saving of real money.

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$12.50 & $15 Suits and Overcoats	$10.50
$20.00 Suits and Overcoats	$14.50
$22.50 Suits and Overcoats	$17.50
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$30 and $32.50 Garments, $24.50
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Half-Yearly Sale of Manhattan and Bates-Street Shirts

These famous pedigreed shirts have nothing in common with the nondescript and nameless goods so frequently offered at so-called reductions. These good shirts are of known quality and standard value, and are all fresh, new goods.

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$4.50 Shoes $3.65	$6.50 Suits $4.95	$10.00 Suits $8.00	$5 Trousers $3.95
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The Old Man Sweeps Into Office

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AW YOU DON'T AIR SKITTLES! I VOTE MYSELF DISH-WASHER.
I'VE GOT A VOTE TOO AND I ELECT MYSELF
OH BUT I'LL INSIST THAT I BE ELECTED
OH I COULDN'T HEAR OF IT
NO INDEED
HOLD !! RETURNS FROM THIS PRESINK, ONE VOTE FOR MESELF TO WASH THEM DISHES
ELECTED !!
U-NANIMOUSLY !!
WE TOLD YOU SO.

ABIE THE AGENT

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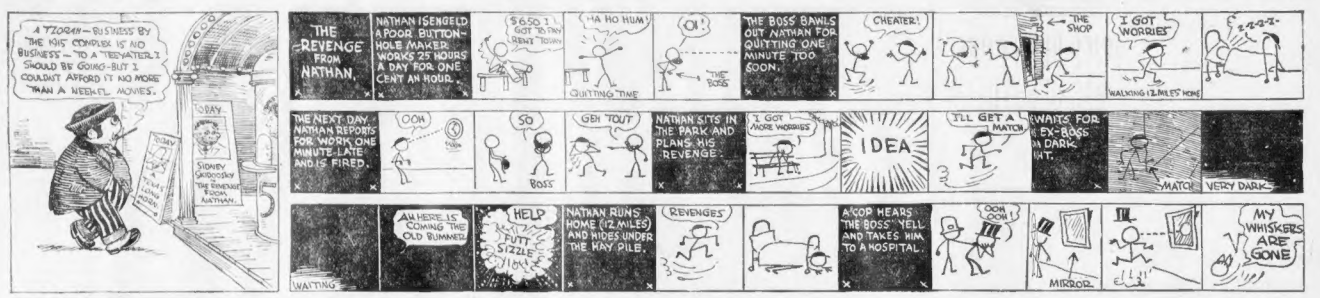
He likes In a Movie Show To-day


A TZORAH — BUSINESS BY THE KIKS COMPLEX IS NO BUSINESS — TO A TEEVATER. I SHOULD BE GOING - BUT I COULDN'T AFFORD IT NO MORE THAN A WEEKLY MOVIES.
TODAY
SIDNEY DROOPDAY
THE REVENGE FROM NATHAN.
NATHAN ISENGELD A POOR BUTTON-HOLE MAKER WORKS 25 HOURS A DAY FOR ONE CENT AN HOUR.
$6.50 I GOT TO PAY RENT TOMM
HA HA HUM!
QUITTING TIME
OH!
THE BOSS
THE BOSS BAWLS OUT NATHAN FOR QUITTING ONE MINUTE TOO SOON.
CHEATER!
THE SHOP
I GOT WORRIES
WALKING 12 MILES HOME
THE NEXT DAY NATHAN REPORTS FOR WORK ONE MINUTE LATE AND IS FIRED.
OOH
SO
BOSS
GEN TOUT
NATHAN SITS IN THE PARK AND PLANS HIS REVENGE.
I GOT MORE WORRIES
IDEA
I'LL GET A MATCH
WAITS FOR EX-BOSS IN DARK
MATCH
VERY DARK
WAITING
AH HERE IS COMING THE OLD BUMMER
HELP
FUTT SIZZLE VIOW
NATHAN RUNS HOME (12 MILES) AND HIDES UNDER THE HAY PILE.
REVENGES
A COP HEARS THE BOSS YELL AND TAKES HIM TO A HOSPITAL.
OOH OOH !
MIRROR
MY WHISKERS ARE GONE

JERRY ON THE JOB

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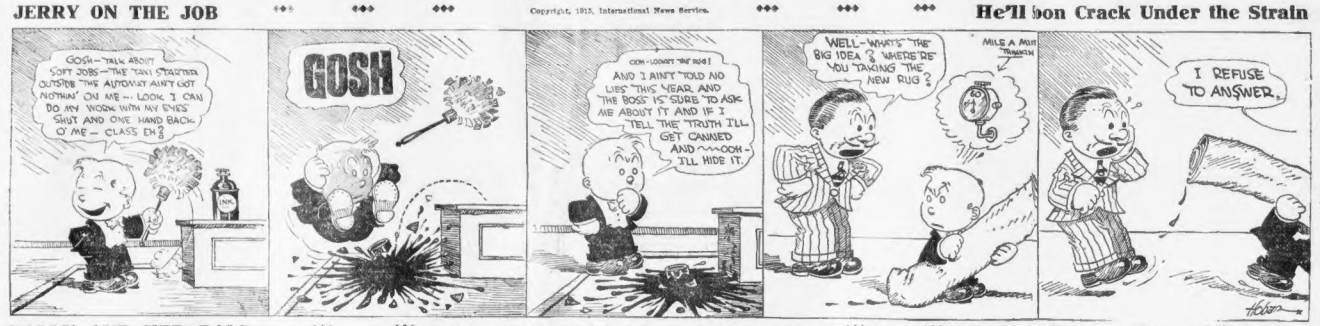
He'll Soon Crack Under the Strain


GOSH — TALK ABOUT SOFT JOBS — THE TAXI STARTER OUTSIDE THE AUTOMAT AIN'T GOT NOTHIN' ON ME — LOOK I CAN DO MY WORK WITH MY EYES SHUT AND ONE HAND BACK OF ME — CLASS EH ?
GOSH
OOH - LOOKIT ME RUG!
AND I AIN'T TOLD NO LIES THIS YEAR AND THE BOSS IS SURE TO ASK ME ABOUT IT AND IF I TELL THE TRUTH I'LL GET CANNED AND OOH I'LL HIDE IT.
WELL - WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA ? WHERE'RE YOU TAKING THE NEW RUG ?
MILE A MINUTE TRENCH
I REFUSE TO ANSWER.

POLLY AND HER PALS

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Pa's Surplus Was a Minus One

AW, BE REASONABLE, PA. MA CAN MAKE A DOLLAR GO FARTHER IN A MINUTE THAN YOU CAN IN A YEAR!
POO! POO! I GOT THE RENT PAID, ALL OUR ACCOUNTS SETTLED AND FIFTY BEANS IN THE BANK!
THAT'S NOTHING! MA DOES THAT NEARLY EVERY MONTH!
YAS, BUT NOT THE MONTH OF JANUARY!!
DAWGONE IT! THIS IS THE FIRST JANUARY WE EVER SAVED A RED CENT!
I GET A SWELL CHANCE T' SAVE MONEY IN JANUARY, AIN'T I?
WOT'S TO PREVENT?
YOU'VE GOT $65 INSURANCE TO PAY THE FIRST OF FEBRUARY YOU POOR NUT!
SIXTY FIVE DOLLARS?
SIXTY FIVE IS CORRECT!
GREAT GUNS! I'M FIFTEEN. SAY I AM!

US BOYS

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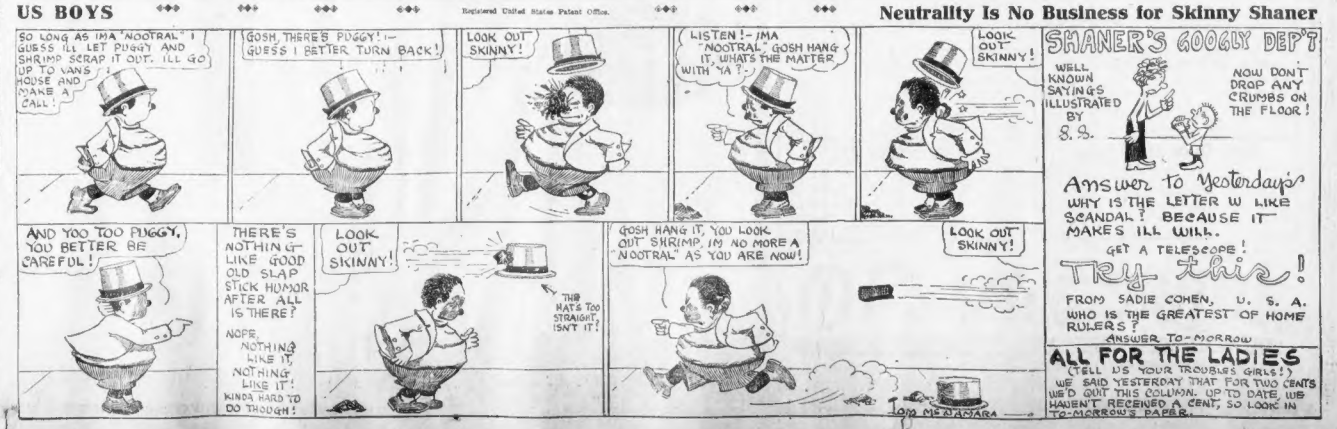
Neutrality Is No Business for Skinny Shaner


SO LONG AS I'M A "NOOTRAL" I GUESS I'LL LET PUGGY AND SHRIMP SCRAP IT OUT. I'LL GO UP TO VAN'S HOUSE AND MAKE A CALL!
GOSH, THERE'S PUGGY! — GUESS I BETTER TURN BACK!
LOOK OUT SKINNY!
LISTEN! - I'M A "NOOTRAL" GOSH HANG IT, WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH "A"?
LOOK OUT SKINNY!
AND YOO TOO PUGGY, YOU BETTER BE CAREFUL!
THERE'S NOTHING LIKE GOOD OLD SLAP STICK HUMOR AFTER ALL IS THERE? NOPE, NOTHING LIKE IT, NOTHING LIKE IT! KINDA HARD TO DO THOUGH!
LOOK OUT SKINNY!
THE HAT'S TOO STRAIGHT, ISN'T IT!
GOSH HANG IT, YOU LOOK OUT SHRIMP, I'M NO MORE A "NOOTRAL" AS YOU ARE NOW!
LOOK OUT SKINNY!
Tom McNamara
SHANER'S GOOGLY DEP'T
WELL KNOWN SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY S. S.
NOW DON'T DROP ANY CRUMBS ON THE FLOOR!
Answer to Yesterday's
WHY IS THE LETTER W LIKE SCANDAL? BECAUSE IT MAKES ILL WILL.
GET A TELESCOPE!
TRY this!
FROM SADIE COHEN, U. S. A. WHO IS THE GREATEST OF HOME RULERS?
ANSWER TO-MORROW
ALL FOR THE LADIES
(TELL US YOUR TROUBLES GIRLS!)
WE SAID YESTERDAY THAT FOR TWO CENTS WE'D QUIT THIS COLUMN. UP TO DATE, WE HAVEN'T RECEIVED A CENT, SO LOOK IN TO-MORROW'S PAPER.

DONOVAN 'TO CURB LICENSE BOARD'

Representative John I. Donovan of Boston will [illegible] Legislature today, all very [illegible] enough of the Licensing Board. Governor [illegible] requires [illegible] and twenty [illegible] "that are [illegible] These [illegible] will [illegible] manufacturers and others [illegible] that the Licensing Board [illegible] which [illegible] [illegible] said Representative [illegible] have information [illegible] to the Legislature [illegible] Board is [illegible] gives the [illegible] echoes [illegible] breath refers to [illegible] poor [illegible] It has the [illegible] claim [illegible] freedom [illegible] out [illegible] to save [illegible] of our [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Wants a New Forest Hills 'L' Terminal

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [

HALPIN FINISHES SECOND TO TED MEREDITH IN MELROSE "600" SPECIAL

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTING NEWS

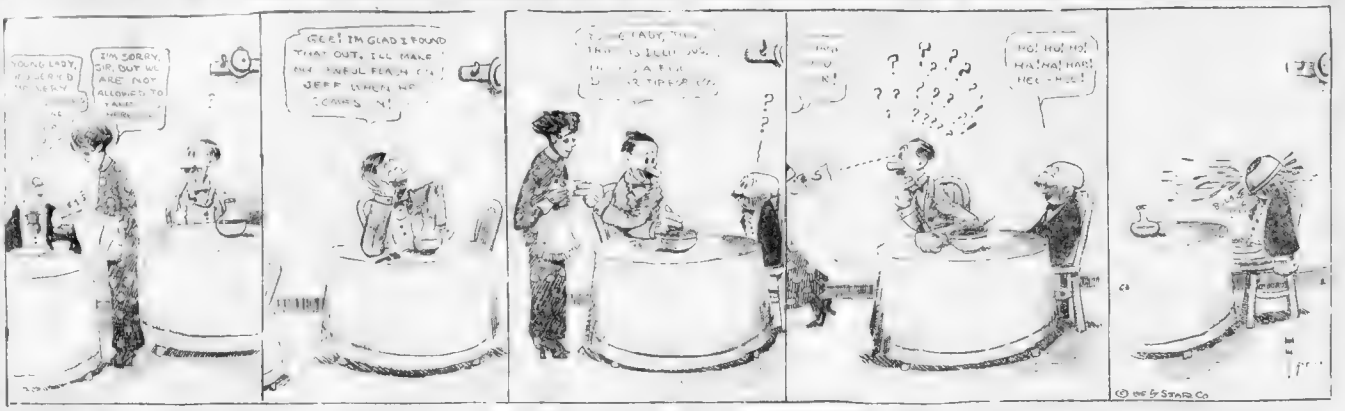
BOWLERS START SECOND WEEK OF AMERICAN'S BIG PRIZE TOURNEY

SECOND WEEK OF BOWLING CONTEST ON

The ten men bowlers who make the ten highest scores for three consecutive strings will be announced in the Sunday AMERICAN. They will meet in a one-string roll off the following Saturday. The prizes will be awarded to the three high men in the roll-off. This rule will hold good throughout the tournament.

And $5.00 Is Some Piece of Coin These Hard Times

By "Bud" Fisher


YOUNG LADY, WE NEED YOU HERE
I'M SORRY, SIR, BUT WE ARE NOT ALLOWED TO HAVE MEN
GEE! I'M GLAD I FOUND THAT OUT, I'LL MAKE MY AWFUL FEARS FOR JEFF WHEN HE COMES IN
HO! HO! HO! HA! HA! HA! HEE - HEE!

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Name .....

Address .....

One other witness.

Name .....

Address .....

CHELSEA TAKES SUBURBAN LEAD

By P. J. MURPHY

THE world-record breaking Chelsea team of the Bazaar [illegible] In the original meeting with Bazaar, the avenue team used three Boston City League men and in doing so broke a rule of the suburban league, which says that none of the members can be [illegible]

TONIGHT'S matches in the suburban circuit will be a case of first vs. last [illegible] teams against second division [illegible]

FOLLOWING out their usual custom [illegible]

OUTSIDE of the selection of the [illegible]

RICHIE WALSH and Jack Taylor of [illegible]

A PRETTY battle is on for the [illegible]

A TOUGH match is promised for to- [illegible]

THE pick of the Jordan & Marsh and Arsenal [illegible]

JUST as soon as alterations have [illegible]

THE newly organized Atlantic Coast Bowling Association has sent out letters to various alleys of Greater Boston, asking for their co-operation in a proposed tournament of candle, duck and bowling pin.

PROBABLY a more evenly matched quartet of teams could not be found than the first four in the City Bellows League, Siloam, Shawmut, Keyport and Mt. Pleasant. There is less than 200 pins difference in their pinfalls.

TEAM C won the Thayer, McNeil & Co. [illegible]

Suburban League Baseball Dates

[illegible]

Tech and Brown Men on Mat Tomorrow

[illegible]

Four New Elevens on Penn Schedule

[illegible]

HOCKEY NOTES AND GOSSIP

[illegible]

BOWLING LEAGUE MATCHES SCHEDULED FOR TONIGHT

SUBURBAN—Everett at Bowes & Wyatt, Ideal at Powder House, Cambridge at the new Winthrop at Revere, Bell Square at Broadway, Boulevard at Malden, Chelsea Square at Revere.

M. T. D.—Ist N. Natives vs. Holy Trinity, St. Alphonsus vs. St. John, Highland vs. Worcester, Carroll vs. St. Francis at the Arch street alleys, Mt. Ida vs. St. Augustine, St. Mark vs. St. Peter and Paul, Constantine vs. Hamilton, St. Peter vs. Neponset at the Mt. Pleasant alleys.

CHELSEA CITY—[illegible] matches at the Colemores High alleys.

SONS OF ST. GEORGE—Seven matches at the New Dragon alleys.

SCOTTISH CLANS—[illegible] matches at Littlefield's alleys.

ENGLISH AMATEUR—Penn vs. Mosquito at South Boston Bowling Center, L. G. vs. South Boston, Y. C. at Mosquito Fleet alleys.

WOMEN—Three matches at Littlefield's alleys.

WAINWORTH MEN—Six matches at the old South alleys.

SUBURBAN CATHOLIC—Six matches.

MANTON BUDDIES—Four matches at Littlefield's alleys.

BEARE & KNOWLES—Three matches at the American alleys.

CAPITOLIANS' LEAGUE—Four matches at the Adams Square alleys.

J. R. ATWELL TANDEM—At the Chauncey alleys.

FIELDS' TANDEM—Four matches at Littlefield's alleys.

CHARLESTOWN—Myson vs. Thompson Square at Ilsberian alleys, Charlestown.

CATHOLIC TANDEM—Team 3 vs. Team 7.

PORT HURON—One match at the Coliseum alleys, Quincy.

Harvard Fencers to Open Season Tonight

[illegible]

Cambridge Schools in Ice Title Game

[illegible]

Jackson College Fives Name Leaders

[illegible]

Bey Downs Hockmann

[illegible]

MOTOR NOTES

By J. C. KERRISON

[illegible]

RULES OF THE CONTEST

[illegible]

Hall Increases Lead.

[illegible]

Barry Loses to Day.

[illegible]

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HARVARD FENCERS OPEN SEASON TONIGHT AGAINST BOWDOIN AT CAMBRIDGE

SILK HAT HARRY'S DIVORCE SUIT | By TAD | INDOOR SPORTS

HALPIN BEATEN BY MEREDITH

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Several surprises were sprung at the Millrose A. C. games at Madison Square Garden.

In the 70-yard low hurdles Loomis, starting from scratch with J. J. Eller of the Irish-American A. C., failed to get a place, the event being won by Walter Bunch of the New York A. C.

In the two-mile handicap run, Hannes Kolehmainen (scratch) dropped out after going a mile. Sydney Leslie, Long Island A. C., was an easy winner.

James E. ("Ted") Meredith of the Meadowbrook Club, Philadelphia, won the 600-yard special invitation scratch race by a margin of eight feet, after leading all the way. Thomas J. Hal-

Sports of All Sorts

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—J. E. SHACKLEford of the Rome club won the championship at the five mile Winter tournament of the Seaview Golf Club at Absecon, defeating J. C. Parish, Jr., of the National Golf Links, 4 up and 2 to play, in the final round.

NEW YORK.—OLD BATTERY E, THE famous athletic company of the Thirteenth Regiment, has decided not to conduct the Brooklyn Gun Manufacturers, which heretofore has been held annually on Lincoln's birthday, effective as the feature of that organization's athletic carnival.

TOLEDO, O.—FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS has been raised for local business men for the transfer of the St. Paul American Association baseball team to this city.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—HARRY JOHNSON, who umpired in the National League last season, has applied for a position on the Eastern Association staff. Johnson was injured with Byron in the National League and officiated in the Southern league.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—THE BROWN UNIversity football schedule issued, includes nine games, six at home and three away. The schedule follows: September 25, Rhode Island State; 30th, Worcester Tech; October 2, at Amherst; 9th, Williams; 23d, Syracuse; 30th, Vermont; November 6, Yale in New Haven; 13th, Harvard at Cambridge; 25th, Carlisle.

ST. PAUL.—THAT THE SALE OF THE St. Paul baseball club to local capitalists has not been consummated was the report current in baseball circles here, and, contrary to negotiations with Jack Hendricks, president of the present owner, George B. Lawson, would make no statement.

MONTREAL, P. Q.—THE MEMBERS OF the champion Montreal A. A. water polo team have challenged any other team in Canada to watch with the Yale team in the tank at New Haven next week Saturday night. Arrangements are now pending for a date shortly next to be held at the same time.

LOS ANGELES.—RAY DRIVER, WHO WAS with the White Sox a part of last season and then sent out to the Pacific Coast League and who it was stated a position in Boston, is likely to be placed on the coast next year or pumped to the Federals.

WATERBURY, CT.—NOTHING HAS BEEN heard from President Somers of the Cleveland club, president of the Eastern league, relative to the transfer of the Waterbury club, but that the Eastern directors were anxious to have that city of the Waterbury club would be kept in the league.

HARRISBURG, PA.—GOVERNOR TENER announced that he would not go to Chicago next Tuesday, immediately after his message to the legislature, as reported. The governor intends to take an active part in the Federal League baseball affair.

PHILADELPHIA.—THE "AFFIDAVITS OF President Lennig of the Boston American League club, William F. Baker, president of the Philadelphia Nationals, and Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Americans, to be used in connection with the Federal League baseball war, organized baseball have been taken here by George Wharton Pepper, counsel for the National league.

MANCHESTER.—THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Manufacturers' League has been postponed until next Wednesday night, because it is expected that a better understanding will come with Fred Lake, holder of the Manchester franchise in the New England League regarding the use of Textile Park, the console square.

AUBURN, N. Y.—CHAIRMAN JOHN H. Farrell of the national board of arbitration of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues has announced that the following players have been drafted by purchase: Pitcher Bill Steen, Des Moines, to Boston, N.; Pitcher Ed. Reulbach, Des Moines, to Boston, N.; Pitcher Ed. Reulbach, Des Moines, to Boston, N.; Pitcher Ed. Reulbach

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Mrs. Drug Store, 99 Humboldt av.
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DEMAND BIG NEW FEDERAL BUILDING

Erection of a new Federal building is pointed out in a report which the Boston Chamber of Commerce directors have voted that Congress be asked to make an appropriation.

The Chamber's action is based on a report submitted by a special committee appointed Lucius Sumner, consisting of Frederick L. Cabot, Elwyn G. Preston and William H. Sayward. The report includes statements regarding the crowded and otherwise unsatisfactory conditions which prevail in the present building with reference to the conduct of business of the courts, the district attorney's office, the Sub-treasury and the Postoffice. The location of the Sub-treasury is inconvenient, vault accommodations are inadequate and unsafe and storage rooms are insufficient, adding Assistant Treasurer Lincoln told the investigators.

Regarding the Postoffice, the then Postmaster Mansfield told the committee:

"The erection of a new government building would give to the postoffice room which has been greatly needed for years past. When it is considered that the present building has been occupied for postoffice purposes since 1874, in part, and that no substantial addition to the floor space for working the mails has been made since the "new" part of the building was finished in 1885, it is not surprising that the present space congestion is very great."

The Chamber's committee reports that the present Postmaster, William F. Murray, has endorsed the statement of congestion and need of additional space set forth by his predecessor.

Urges That Maine Elect in November

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 15.—Maine and Arkansas are now the only States in the Union which hold their elections in September. In the Maine Senate Mr. Boynton of Lincoln presented a resolve for a constitutional amendment providing that the election for Governor, Congressmen, Senators and Representatives to the Legislature and county officers shall be held on the first Monday in November.

Denied $15,000,000, Hurls Brick at Bank

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—"I wish to draw $15,000,000 on account," said William Taylor of 1776, to the cashier of the First National Bank there.

The time lock on the vault door is out of order; can't open it," replied the cashier.

Taylor went outside and threw a brick through the bank window. He was held for examination into his sanity.

Three Perish in New York Fire

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Three persons lost their lives and there were a number of sensational rescues by policemen and firemen in a fire in a tenement in Ninth avenue early this morning.

A man and a child were found dead in a rear room on the fifth floor. The child was clasped in the man's arms. Later another child was taken lifeless from the building.

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New Hampshire Stops 'Tomfoolery'

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 15.—The State Senate voted to postpone the House concurrence resolution calling upon Congress to use every legal means to secure the return of "millions wrongfully diverted from New England railroads," by alleged deals. Senator Martin of Concord, said it was "tomfoolery" for the New Hampshire Legislature to attempt to instruct Congress.

The House adopted a resolution opposing increase in the salaries of State officials and received a bill abolishing the office of Fish and Game Commissioner, created two years ago, and re-establishing the Fish and Game Commission of three members.

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Transportation, Baltimore (from quarantine).
Governor, Jacksonville and Charleston.
Bay View, Newport News, via Hampton Roads.
Ionic, Liverpool, Bedford for bunker, returned on account of threatening weather.

DUE TODAY.

Memphian, Liverpool.
St. Pierre, Yarmouth.
Varing, Copenhagen.
Cranmore, Jacksonville, etc.
Heimo, Gothenburg.
Norfolk, Norfolk.
Nelson, Norfolk.
Delta, Portland, Liverpool.
Ryland, Jamaica.
Pennsylvanian, Portland, Or.
Solland, Gothenburg.

DUE SATURDAY.

Rolvsund, Fowey.

DUE SUNDAY.

Maasteeslift, Rotterdam.

DUE MONDAY.

Algerian, Newcastle and Halifax.
Saxonia, Port Limon.

DUE TUESDAY.

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Canadian, Liverpool.

Playlet 'Milk' at Keith's Next Week

"Milk," the one-act play written and played by Miss Una Clayton, based upon the investigation of the New York Milk Committee, will be presented for the first time in Boston at B. F. Keith's Theatre next week. Mayor Curley has promised to attend the performance on Monday evening, and will occupy a box.

Miss Clayton's play has received the widest publicity in New York and other cities, where it has been presented. Mayor Mitchel of New York, Nathan Straus, the New York Milk Committee, the Housewives' League of Providence, and the Milk and Baby Hygiene Association of Boston have all endorsed this playlet.

In Providence, where Miss Clayton is appearing this week, the Governor of Rhode Island, the Mayor of Providence, and the entire Board of Aldermen occupied boxes Wednesday evening, and after seeing the performance, they went behind the scenes and signed the Pure Milk Pledge of the Little Mothers' League of the New York Public Schools.

Give-a-Job Movement.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 15.—A "give a job" movement instituted by Mayor Frank Stacy, urges householders and employers of labor who have any work available to have it done at once.

Mrs. Evans Tells Plea for Votes

The story of the events at Washington on Tuesday, when the woman suffrage question was discussed by the House of Representatives, will be related by one who took a prominent part in the proceedings, at No. 265 Tremont street, this afternoon. The speaker will be Mrs. Glendower Evans. Mite boxes for suffrage work in Massachusetts will be opened.

Navy Yards May Build Submarines

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Construction of some of the seventeen new submarines proposed in the forthcoming Naval Appropriation bill in Government Navy Yards is being considered by the Navy Department.

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The Boston Chamber of Commerce again urges favorable action by the War Department on the petition of the City of Boston for the location of its high pressure pumping station in Fort Point Channel. Prolonged delay in decision by Federal authorities is a serious inconvenience to Boston as contractors for pumping machinery and adjustment of insurance rates for the city cannot be settled until the erection of station is assured.

High pressure pipes have already been laid and proposed station is only link now needed to complete long desired system for adequate protection of the community against conflagration. Business men of Boston through the Chamber of Commerce have followed this project with utmost interest and concern and strongly desire immediate settlement of this question by a favorable decision from Washington. Postmaster W. F. Murray also sent a telegram to Secretary Garrison, backing up the Chamber's message.

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It Makes a Difference to the Stand Pat Republicans

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The standpat Republican organization has increased its control of the Massachusetts Legislature, NOT by obtaining a MAJORITY of the votes of the citizens of the Commonwealth, but by virtue of the system of gerrymandered districts which allows a MINORITY of votes to be represented by a MAJORITY in the legislative body.

IN A TOTAL OF 422,914 VOTES FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THE REPUBLICANS RECEIVED ONLY 168,344; AND YET A VICIOUS SYSTEM ALLOWS THIS MINORITY TO CONTROL THE LEGISLATURE.

These facts, together with the memory of the five successive defeats which they have suffered in this Commonwealth and the most humiliating disaster ever visited upon a national party two years ago, when they carried only the three smallest States in the Union, ought to make the reactionary element of the Republican party modest and virtuous. But the adventitious results of the last election in this State seem to have acted as a most unhealthy stimulant upon their discretion.

The new Speaker of the House, speaking for his Republican organization, boldly announces its policies for the coming year. The AMERICAN reprints them herein that its readers may appreciate what a standpat policy looks like.

"Protection of human rights, of equality of opportunity and equality before the law.

"One uniform national divorce law for the United States.

"One uniform national law regulating age and hours of labor, minor and adult, for the whole United States.

"Let us have, as every other civilized country has, one single law for the whole country, one national law of incorporation.

"Protection of American laborers and American industries by the establishment of a tariff which shall equal the difference in the cost of production here and abroad, as determined by a non-partisan tariff commission.

"Protection of the national spirit by support in the East for irrigation in the West, by support in the North for new harbors in the South, by support from the Atlantic for a strong fleet in the Pacific, by support from the Rocky Mountain States for forest reserves in the Appalachians, by the conviction and agreement that in order that all should be for each, each should be for all. As the whole is greater than the part, the nation is greater than the state."

Not ONE of these policies can be carried out by any power in Massachusetts, nor is there the slightest prospect that they will be enacted into law by Congress within any reasonable period. The AMERICAN asks the citizens of Massachusetts to compare this Republican standpat program with the program laid down by Governor Walsh in his inaugural address. So much for mere words by the representatives of the Republican organization.

Now let us consider the first ACT of the present Republican controlled Legislature. A group of distinguished gentlemen from State street have filed a petition, among hundreds of other petitions, asking for relief from the tax on the transfer of stocks in this Commonwealth on the ground of war conditions.

This tax is like the tax levied in New York from which the State of New York receives almost seven million dollars a year. It is expected that Massachusetts, under normal conditions, will receive from a million to a million and a half this year from this tax. These gentlemen, believing that they represent a privileged class, have asked to be relieved from a condition which is weighing upon us ALL ALIKE. The Republican organization set this petition down for a hearing before the Legislative Committee for today, WHEN SCARCELY ONE OF THE HUNDREDS OF BILLS before the Legislature has yet even been printed.

If the petition of these State street gentlemen is enacted into law, this Commonwealth will lose five times MORE in taxes than it will cost the State to carry out the Governor's recommendation of an expenditure of $150,000 IMMEDIATELY to reclaim our wet lands both in order to give the men WHO ARE NOW OUT OF WORK AND HUNGRY something to do to earn an honest living and also to make useful to the State fertile soil which is now under water.

Consider the difference between the Republican action on the VERY FIRST measures which have come before it at the opening of the Legislature this month, and you will know what standpat Republicanism in this State means. A petition signed by bankers on State street who wish to have their business relieved of a tax which will yield the State probably a million dollars a year is given an IMMEDIATE HEARING. The recommendation of the Governor that the State should appropriate IMMEDIATELY $150,000 to give employment for hundreds of workless men has NOT YET received the attention of the Republican machine which today controls the Legislature. The ground on which the gentlemen from State street ask the special exemption of their business from taxation is that the war conditions and the war tax make it onerous. But those thousands of men who are out of employment and whose families are starving in Massachusetts today are in these same straits ALSO on account of the WAR CONDITIONS.

Yet the Republican leaders denounced Governor Walsh's modest recommendation of $150,000 as extravagant, when it will bring into useful cultivation rich soil which is now useless to the State and when it WILL PUT FOOD INTO THE MOUTHS OF MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN who are honest and willing to work.

But there is no cry of extravagance heard from these standpat leaders against that bill from State street which would increase the State tax MORE THAN FIVE TIMES the amount that

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The Destroyer

He Leaves Grief, Insanity, Despair and Suicide in His Trail, and Still He Seeks and Finds New Victims. This Applies to Many Instances Besides the Rogers Case

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A Girl's Ten Rules of Life

Young Woman Sure of Success if She Adheres to Resolutions---Gossip and Anger Barred; Truth and Sympathy Emphasized

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

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THE following ten resolutions were formulated by a school girl in Trenton:

I will not permit myself to speak while angry, and I will take no heed of another who speaks to me in anger.

I will neither gossip about the failings of another nor allow another to gossip to me, except good.

I will excuse weakness in either sex, and assist it to the best of my ability.

I will always express gratitude for a favor or service rendered. I will consider the spirit in which it was meant and not the cash value.

I will not fail to express sympathy with another's sorrow or to give hearty utterance to my appreciation of the good works or deeds of others.

I will not talk or think about my personal ailments. If mortal mind suggests that I have pains or aches I will deny it silently and not mention it to others.

I will look on the bright side of all circumstances and transactions connected with my daily life, and will seek to be cheerful and pleasant on all occasions.

I will neither eat nor drink to excess, nor do that which, in my judgment, would lessen my mental or physical capacity for the best service I can render to my family and my fellow-men.

I will speak and act truthfully and live with sincerity toward God and man, remembering always that there is but one God, namely, Truth, Love, Life, Good.

I will pay my just debts when due, and insist that my fellow-men shall accord me the like courtesy. I will not strive to become better than others, but to become better than myself.

If this young girl carries out these resolutions she need have no fear of failure in life.

Whatever sphere she may fill she will dignify it and become distinguished for her individuality.

In the home life she will be a shining light; in any career which she may choose she will succeed, and socially she will be popular and beloved.

Thoughts such as these resolutions indicate will attract a host of Invisible Witnesses who will accompany her wherever her steps lead and who will protect, guide and assist her in whatever she undertakes.

These resolutions will require a focused mind and concentrated mental powers. They leave no time for useless and needless dissipation of energies in unprofitable lines. Few of us realize what a large proportion of our powers ARE wasted in unprofitable ways. We are like a sower who goes forth in the morning time with a bag of grain to plant in the furrows which are prepared for him, but scatters a large proportion of the seed to the four winds and in the waters of the rivers as he passes by and on barren rocks, so that when he reaches his plowed field he has little left to plant.

Then when the harvest time comes he complains of poor yield and wonders why his neighbor, whose fields are waving with grain, is so much more fortunate than he.

Thought is the most precious substance in the world. It is also the most powerful substance in the world.

Used constructively there is nothing that thought cannot accomplish.

When the great universe was wrought
To might and majesty from naught
The all-creative force was—
Thought
That force is thine. Though desolate
The way may seem, command thy fate.
Send forth thy thought—
Create—Create!

More Truth Than Poetry

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE

Travel de Luxe

MY newest pair of pantaloons—my treasure and my joy—
Last night departed on a man who left the train at Troy.
The pair I'm wearing sifted from an upper story berth,
And far exceed my modest needs in length of leg and girth.
I got his pair by accident, of that I have no doubt,
But how he managed to get mine I cannot quite make out.

THE shoes I left out to receive the porter's dismal shine,
Have been replaced by two tan lefts, and neither one was mine.
And though I sport a checkered vest I never saw before
I miss the watch and ticket in the waistcoat that I wore.
I've rummaged through the bed clothes, and one sock that I had on
I found upon the window ledge—the other one is gone.

MY collar, which I laid to rest, with my red tie and pin,
Inside that hammock thing that's there to put your baggage in,
Must have expanded with the heat for solemnly I'll swear
It's full three sizes larger than the kind I always wear.
The pin was gone, but later, when I pawed 'round for my shirt,
I scratched my fingers on it near the footboard—and it hurt.

I'D like to tell that man from Troy that it was hardly fair,
For him to take my trousers and to step upon my hair
When he departed from his berth; I'd also like to find
My clothing, that I might enjoy my old-time peace of mind.
But I think, perhaps, I'm lucky, for a man who left a call
For Springfield has discovered that he can't leave his berth at all.

Where Is That Bread He Cast on the Waters?

Somehow or other Mr. Taft can't help remembering that when he was President he never hesitated to appoint members of the opposition party to available places on the Supreme Court.

Strategy

Wagnerian opera has been resumed in Paris, doubtless in order to redouble the fury of the Parisians against the Germans.

No Investigation Needed.

It may be hard to locate the promoters of the grape juice trust, but anyone can tell you where to find the press agent.

The Lonely Few

There are forty-three millionaires in Indiana, and some of them didn't make their money out of literature.

Satisfactory Progress

Nebraska's effort to resign herself to the removal of William J. Bryan from her midst bids fair to be completely successful.

It Makes a Difference to the Stand Pat Republicans

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the Governor's recommendation in behalf of the unemployed would increase it.

Bismarck, who was Germany's greatest statesman and was the world's greatest statesman in this century, declared it to be the duty of the German Empire to provide work for every honest German who was willing to work, and the German people accepted his dictum and the German Empire today has risen to its present wonderful efficiency by virtue of the spirit which animated that idea of the duty of the State.

This is the beginning of the record of standpat Republicanism in Massachusetts. This record will probably grow. Watch it, you Progressives who voted the Republican ticket with the notion that there was a hope of making Massachusetts Republicanism Progressive.

If the opponents of the Wilson administration desire to oust it from power at the next national election, they can only hope to do so by signally defeating standpat Republicanism in every State where it dares to raise its head. THIS and ONLY THIS will so chasten the Republican party that it will be fit to return to power.

TRANSMIGRATION

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

"THE transmigration of souls, my dear,"
Said the grocery clerk who had gone to college,
"Is a grand belief that the Greeks made clear
In the days when the Greeks were steeped in knowledge.

"We have transmigrated throughout all time,
Just your dear soul and the soul of me,
From planet to planet in many a clime,
And our new, grand marriage is bound to be."

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Then her old man came down the massive stairs,
Saying, "I hear your smooth tongue work,
But I reckon none of my daughters and heirs
Will transmigrate with no grocery clerk!"

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